

FIRST PEACHES ARRIVE TODAY AT LOCAL MART

The Farmers' market this morning offered a wide variety of garden produce, fruits and dairy products. Supplies were plentiful, most of the stalls were filled and patronage was good.

Cucumbers were for sale on the market this morning and early peaches made their debut. The "cukes" varied in size and price. Large ones ranged from two and three for five cents to five cents each. Smaller ones brought \$1.25 per hundred.

Greensboro peaches in quart baskets sold for 25 cents a box. Patispan squash on the market today sold for five cents to 25 cents each.

Berries, Potatoes, Beans

Red raspberries were priced today at 50 cents a quart and 30 cents per pint. Black raspberries brought 40 cents a quart. Currants were 30 cents a quart; gooseberries, 20 cents a quart and Montmorency cherries, 30 cents a quart.

Yellow Transparent apples sold for 25 cents a quarter peck. New potatoes were 25 cents a quarter peck and 45 cents a half peck.

Yellow and green beans brought 15 cents a quart; peas, 20 cents a quart; and 35 cents a pint shelled; cabbage, eight cents a pound; lettuce, 10 cents a quart box; radishes, 10 cents a bunch; beets, 10 cents a bunch; spinach, 15 cents a quart peck; onions, 10 cents a bunch; carrots, 10 cents a bunch; parsley, 5 cents a bunch; cauliflower, 15 to 25 cents each.

Eggs were 65 cents a dozen for large whites and browns and 59 cents a dozen for mediums. Chickens remained unchanged at 65 and 70 cents a pound. The price of butter was the same, at 75 and 80 cents a pound. Bacon was 65 cents a pound and ham 90 cents.

Sweet cream was 35 cents a pint; potato salad, 20 cents a pint; cottage cheese, 20 cents a pint; pies, 40 cents and cookies, 25 cents a dozen.

100 ROTARIANS TO MEET HERE

Upwards of 100 presidents, vice presidents and secretaries of Rotary clubs in the local district will meet here Monday for the annual District assembly to be held at Gettysburg college.

The assembly will start at 9:15 o'clock Monday morning in Rites Chapel with District Governor Ernest Dunbar presiding over the group that will include, besides officers, many committee chairmen from the various clubs. The district includes most of south central Pennsylvania.

At 12:30 o'clock the Rotarians will dine at the Hotel Gettysburg. Members of the Gettysburg Rotary club have been invited to the dinner which will take the place of the usual Rotary meeting here on Mondays.

Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, president of Gettysburg college, will be the speaker at the luncheon. He will have as his subject, "Observations on the United Nations Assembly."

Afternoon sessions of the assembly will feature a number of discussions in which past governors of the district will take part.

Bennett Meyers Is Cashiered By Truman

Washington, July 17 (AP)—Bennett E. Meyers, serving a jail sentence for inducing a business associate to lie to a Senate committee, has been cashiered from the armed forces by President Truman.

The retired major general, once an air force purchasing officer, was dismissed late yesterday under an article of war which permits such action when an officer has served three months or more in a prison or penitentiary.

Meyers has been in a District of Columbia jail for four months. He was sentenced to a 20-month-to-five-year term after a federal jury convicted him last March of talking Bleniot Lamarre into giving false testimony to the Senate War Investigating committee about his connection with the Aviation Electric company of Dayton, Ohio.

COURT GRANTS DIVORCE

The Adams county court today granted a divorce to Major Ralph Keckler, Fairfield, stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, from Reita Hahn Keckler, Fairfield. The order forbids Mrs. Keckler from marrying the co-respondent. The charge was infidelity.

Local Weather

Yesterday's high	82
Last night's low	68
Today at 10:30 a. m.	72
Rain in last 24 hours	0.12

Sale of summer dresses, Modern Missions, 5 Chambersburg street.

Adams Has Reached 71 Pct. Of Bond Quota

Adams county has secured over 71 per cent of its quota in the security loan drive which will close July 17. James W. Marvin, acting state director of the U. S. Savings Bond Division announced today in a letter to Edmund W. Thomas, president of the First National bank here and chairman of the county's savings bond committee.

Sales of Series E bonds up to July 3 total \$149,649, or 71.3 per cent of the total quota. Total sales of bonds for the period from April 1 to June 3 is \$289,128 or 71.2 per cent of the total set.

State sales for the same period have reached 67.6 per cent for the E bond quota and 63.1 per cent of its E, F and G series quota.

Sales credited to the treasury account by Federal Reserve banks through July 17 will be included in the Security Loan results, Marvin said. Marvin suggested that all issuing agents report to the Federal reserve in time for their sales to be credited prior to the closing date.

Littlestown 29 GIRL SCOUTS RETURN AFTER WEEK AT CAMP

Twenty-nine Girl Scouts from Littlestown Troops No. 14, 15 and 26, who spent the past week troop camping at Marsh Creek Heights, broke camp on Friday night after supper. The program for the week consisted of boating, swimming, arts and crafts and archery. They were taught games and songs by Mrs. J. Ray Reinhold. Wednesday the entire group took a hike.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Codori who have a cottage across the creek from the Girl Scout camp entertained all of the scouts and their leaders with outdoor movies at their cottage on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Tuesday evening, Troop No. 15 entertained the other scouts with a radio skit. They were given a treat on Wednesday evening by the Woman's Community club of Littlestown and vicinity and on Friday evening they were treated by Mrs. J. Ray Reinhold. Thursday night was visitors' night when 75 parents and friends visited the scouts and went through their cottages and enjoyed boating.

A number of tests were passed by the scouts. The following passed Red Cross Swimming tests: Intermediates, Joan Shull, Shirley Brown and Dixie Nester from Troop No. 15; Jean Bish from Troop No. 14 and Patricia Long and Shirley Crouse from Troop No. 26. Beginners' Tests were passed by Shirley Stonestifer, Barbara Waltman and Jean Blocher from Troop No. 15 and Louise Kerns, Daria Lemmon, Patsy Spangler, Marilyn Spangler and Virginia Koonitz from Troop No. 26.

Pass Other Tests

The following from Troop No. 15 passed a project toward their Boating badge: Shirley Stonestifer, Joan Shull, Diane Stambaugh, Jean Miller, Dixie Nester, Barbara Waltman, Shirley Brown, Jean Blocher, Marion Scott and Shirley Jones. The troop also made Sit-Upons during the week.

Arts and Crafts tests toward second class scouts were passed by: (Please Turn to Page 4)

Services Friday For Ralph Gardner

Funeral services for Ralph B. Gardner, World War II veteran who died June 7, 1944, in Normandy, France, from wounds received on D-Day, were held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Routsong-Dugan funeral home, Bendersville, conducted by the Rev. Harry S. Barnes, Bendersville, Md., and the Rev. Arde Dorsey, York Springs. Interment was made in the family plot in the Bendersville cemetery.

Military services were conducted by the Albert J. Lentz Post 202, American Legion, of Gettysburg. The pallbearers were Joseph Smith, Harry Bender, Harry Ridinger, Paul Rohrbaugh, Roy Alexander and Edward Culp. A firing squad and color guard was in charge of Capt. C. Arthur Brame, M/Sgt. W. L. Baldwin, chief trumpeter for the Sons of Union Veterans Reserve, sounded taps.

COUPLE TO WED

A marriage license has been issued at the court house to Dale Howard Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Williams, York Springs, and Ruth Viola Lory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Lory, York Springs.

WED 58 YEARS

Mr. and Mrs. John E. McDonnell, West Middle street, are observing their 58th wedding anniversary today. They left this morning for the home of their son, Carroll, Drexel Hill, where they will spend a week.

Gromyko Goodbye: "No"

Andrei Gromyko, Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister and former member of the United Nations Security Council, says "No" to requests for an interview as he stands on a deck of the Swedish-American liner Gripsholm in New York prior to sailing for home. At left is Yakov M. Lomakin, Russian consul general to the U. S.



Defiant Southern Democrats Gather To Map Truman Defeat

By LEROY SIMMS

Birmingham, Ala., July 17 (AP)—Defiant southern democrats met today for the avowed purpose of taking the solid south out of the regular party columns for the first time in 70 years.

They planned to challenge in 15 states the Truman-Barkley ticket nominated earlier this week at Philadelphia. The issue was the civil rights plank adopted at Philadelphia over the bitter protests of deep south delegates, plus defeat of a states' rights proposal.

The frank purpose of this meeting is the defeat of Mr. Truman. An anti-Truman slate of electors will seek a place on the ballot in the President's home state of Missouri.

Other states in which the challenge will be made include the deep south which has not turned its back on any Democratic Presidential candidate since 1876. These are Alabama, Mississippi, South Carolina, Arkansas, Georgia and Louisiana.

Still others, normally Democratic with room to spare, in which campaigns are planned are Texas, Senator Aiken Barkley's home state of Kentucky, Tennessee, Florida, North Carolina, Virginia, Oklahoma and Maryland. In the latter state, however, the attorney general said last night there was no chance for qualification of electors at this late date.

The meeting was called by Gov. Fielding L. Wright of Mississippi, who led his delegation out of the Democratic convention Wednesday night. Wright and his delegates arrived late last night, coming here direct from the national convention.

Former Gov. Frank J. Dixon of Alabama was selected as temporary meeting chairman.

Two Courses Open

Dixon, Wright, Gessner T. McCorvey of Mobile, Ala., and W. W. Wright of Mississippi formed one of the numerous huddles in the early morning hours. McCorvey is chairman of the Alabama Democratic committee. All are leaders of the states' rights campaign committee, formed at Jackson, Miss., last May 10.

In an opening oratory, Senator James Eastland (D-Miss.) said last night the nominee of the meeting would carry more states than Mr. Truman.

Dixon, outlining possible strategy of the meeting, said these two courses are open: 1. nominate southern candidates for President and Vice President; 2. to leave southern Presidential electors unpledged, as Alabama has done with its 11—already elected and all pledged specifically not to vote for Mr. Truman.

Nation To Pay Final Homage To "Black Jack" Pershing

Washington, July 17 (AP)—The nation begins paying final homage to General of the Armies John J. Pershing today in the chapel of Walter Reed hospital, where the world War I hero spent the last 10 years of his life.

The aged warrior's body will be viewed by relatives, close friends and long-time patients at the army medical center.

The chapel rites, marking the first of three days of solemn observances in the nation's capital for the famed American Expeditionary Forces leader, were not open to the general public.

Pershing died at the hospital early Thursday morning following a long illness. He was 87.

Burial On Monday

At noon (EST) Sunday, the remains will be removed to the rotunda of the Capitol, where for 24 hours they will lie in state, guarded by selected troops of the army's Third Infantry Regiment.

On Monday, Pershing's body will be carried to Arlington National

Memorial Services

Cemetery for services and burial. Final rites will be conducted by Major General Luther D. Miller, chief of army chaplains and the Very Rev. John W. Suter, dean of the Washington (Protestant Episcopal) Cathedral.

As the army completed plans for the elaborate funeral ceremonies, military leaders, dignitaries and friends of the general began converging on the capital from all over the nation. In addition, thousands of troops from all branches of the military establishment were moving into the city to participate in the rites.

The cortege escorting the general over the four and one-third mile route from the Capitol to the Arlington Amphitheater will be the largest assembled in the capital since the Unknown Soldier was buried in the same cemetery in 1921, just a short distance from the Pershing burial plot.

Aerial Escort

Thousands of spectators are expected to line the route. (Please turn to Page 2)

Adams County Honor Roll

The second installment of names of Adams countians appearing on the Adams County Honor Roll is published below.

Countians are asked to check this list and if they detect any omissions to notify the committee. A coupon, published elsewhere in this edition is made available as a convenience. Send the coupon, properly filled out, to the Adams County Honor Roll committee, Court House, Gettysburg.

Baker, Fred Jr.
Baker, Garland W.
Baker, George B. M.
Baker, Glenn C.
Baker, Glenn E.
Baker, Herman L.
Baker, Ivan R.
Baker, Janet V.
Baker, Jesse E.

14 GIRL SCOUTS WILL GET SWIM CERTIFICATES

Fourteen Littlestown Girl Scouts will receive certificates for swimming proficiency for successfully passing tests during the Red Cross sponsored swimming course held for the girls at Marsh Creek Heights this week.

Beginners' certificates will be given Jean Blocher, Louise Kerns, Virginia Koonitz, Daria Memmon, Marilyn Spangler, Patricia Spangler, Shirley Stonestifer and Barbara Waltman. Intermediate certificates will go to Jean Bish, Shirley Brown, Shirley Crouse, Patty Long, Dixie Nester and Joan Shull.

The Red Cross and Recreation Association joined again today in reminding local individuals of the swimming classes, open to all persons over 10 years of age to be held at Marsh Creek Heights starting Monday. The Red Cross plans to provide an instructor and two assistants for the course which will be open to 48 persons. A bus will be provided for the swimmers. Classes to be held during the afternoon. Those interested are to contact the supervisors at the various play-grounds, or the recreation office.

Class At Benner Pool

Those taking part in the Life Saving courses to be conducted by the Red Cross the next two weeks at the Benner Pool, during the afternoons, are to report at the Red Cross office on Baltimore street at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. They will be provided with transportation. That method is being carried out because the Benner pool, a private pool, is being opened only for the class.

Other Red Cross activities include the sending of Sylvia Barton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Barton, East Berlin, a student at East Berlin high school, to Camp Brynden Wood, Wernersville, Pa., to represent the county Junior Red Cross at a training camp there. Miss Barton will leave today for the camp which will be in operation for ten days, from July 18 through July 28.

BI-PARTISAN HELP SOUGHT FOR UN LOAN

John H. Knickerbocker, librarian at Gettysburg college, has received a reply from Clark M. Eichelberger, director of the American Association for the United Nations, Inc., formerly the League of Nations Association, Inc., in reply to his communication relative to raising money through small contributions from one cent to \$5 for a United Nations world-wide public building fund.

"I was very much interested in your letter," wrote Mr. Eichelberger. "At the moment we are exploring all the possibilities and I shall write you later. It is true that voluntary contributions of small amounts would have a great educational influence. The problem, however, of receiving some of that amount abroad, is this:

"Although our friends abroad would contribute as generously as they could according to their means, the transfer of the money would be almost impossible.

"The reason for the loan rather than for the increase in dues over a period of years is that the difficulty of securing dollars is so great that the nations could not increase their dues at this time. I think a movement could get under way for a large portion of the money to be raised by voluntary contribution or small denomination bonds in this country. But this angle must be considered.

"The United Nations and the United States negotiated an agreement. Unless this agreement is ratified by Congress the United Nations will not feel fully welcome to this country despite any voluntary contributions. Also the United Na-

Sergeant Duhrkoff At Training School

Sgt. W. Kurt Duhrkoff, in charge of the Gettysburg sub-station of the state police, has been temporarily relieved of duty here, and is at the state police school at Hershey training for the state police rodeo show in September.

Sgt. Duhrkoff, an experienced motorcycle rider, has participated in several police rodeos as a trick performer on the motorcycle, and with other officers from various parts of the state is preparing for the annual show.

Carl Renz, in charge of garage inspections in Adams, Franklin and Cumberland counties, has been transferred from the Gettysburg sub-station, his headquarters for the past five years, to the Chambersburg sub-station, and will make his home in Chambersburg.

25 DIE IN CRASH

Hong Kong, July 17 (AP)—A Catalina flying boat crash-landed and sank on its scheduled short hop from Macao to Hong Kong late yesterday, and 25 persons were reported to have perished.

SEEK SPCA HERE

Efforts to interest Gettysburg in the formation of a local unit of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals are being made by representatives of the Waynesboro SPCA, Chief of Police Robert C. Harpster said today.

Licenses Issued To Two Couples

Marriage licenses have been issued at the court house to the following couples:

George Charles Currens, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Currens, of Knoxlyn, and Julia Aurelia Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. S. Rhodes, Marsh Creek Heights.

Raymond Joseph Leonard, McSherrystown, and Charlotte Marie Wentz, daughter of Paul Irvin Wentz, Hanover.

Here And There

News Collected At Random

Postmaster Lawrence E. Oyer

expects to do a "land office" business when the Lincoln Gettysburg Address commemorative stamps are placed on sale here November 19.

Already a number of requests have been received by the Postmaster for first day covers.

Stamp collectors send self-addressed envelopes to the Postmaster with three cents in cash. The commemorative stamp is then placed on the envelopes and the post office cancellation will be dated and mailed from here November 19.

Thousands of such requests are expected to be received here. It is customary for the Post Office department to send a special crew of workers to handle the work. In some instances crews of 30 or more workers are sent out to handle cancellation of commemorative stamps.

The wide interest in Lincoln and his Gettysburg Address make this issue of more significance than usual and the local Postmaster is anticipating receiving thousands upon thousands of requests for first day covers.

Many members and friends of

the Lutheran churches, and Sunday schools in this vicinity are expected to attend the opening of the Tresseltown swimming pool, at Loysville this afternoon.

The pool was made available through gifts from members of the Central Pennsylvania, Maryland and West Virginia Lutheran Synods, as well as individuals interested in the work of the church for children.

Contributions of 140 pounds of clothing from residents of Gettysburg and 1,558 from Littlestown were among the 11,345 pounds of overseas relief materials which Pennsylvanians sent to the Church World Service Center, New Windsor, Md., during June for needy persons overseas.

The Gettysburg gifts were from individuals while those from Littlestown were given as follows: Church of the Good Shepherd, 849 pounds; St. Paul's (Please turn to Page 7)

MRS. THOMAS IS NEW SECRETARY

Announcement that two Clare Tree Major productions will be presented here next season was made at a meeting of the executive board of the Gettysburg Woman's club which was held Friday afternoon at Hotel Gettysburg.

The first production, "The Snow Queen," will be presented September 27 and "Toby Tyler" will be given on April 21.

A letter of resignation from Mrs. Robert M. Hunt, secretary, was read and Mrs. Edmund W. Thomas was elected to fill her unexpired term. Mrs. Hunt will move with her family to East Liberty, Pa., next fall.

Mrs. A. Harrison Barr, chairman of the Welfare committee, made a report in which it was revealed the project will be continued on the placing of germicidal lamps in the High Street school building with Mrs. Barr in charge.

TO SPEAK SUNDAY

The Rev. Frederick Wentz, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Wentz, seminary campus, will be the speaker Sunday morning at 9:30 o'clock at the regular session of the Christ Lutheran Sunday school. The Rev. Mr. Wentz, pastor of the Culver City, Calif., Lutheran church, will speak on the mission work there.

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B29s Fly Training Missions Over Berlin's Air Corridor To Counteract Red Fighting Ships In "Blockade Crisis"

Berlin, July 17 (AP)—The Russians today sent up their greatest number of aircraft in recent days into the British-American air corridors between Berlin and western Germany.

At the same time the official Soviet press told the German people the United States would not dare to risk war to break the blockade of Berlin because the U. S. fears Russia and her allies are too powerful.

The sending up of Soviet planes into the air corridors was apparently part of the Soviet tactics of harassing the British and Americans in their attempt to break the Berlin blockade.

An American operations officer said the Russians had sent a warning of greater Soviet activity today in the corridors used by hundreds of American and British planes daily carrying supplies to 2,500,000 residents of western Berlin.

Red Bluff Falls

That the move did not impede the British-American effort was seen in this statement of the operations officer: "Our planes are coming in fast and furious today."

The officer said the Russians served notice they would have Soviet Yak fighters, transport craft and bi-planes in the air corridors from early morning, until 8 p.m. Berlin time, with some practicing instrument flying.

The Russians said the training flights would be from nine airfields and at heights ranging from 400 meters to 3,000 meters (1,312 feet to 9,840 feet).

One of the fields is in the British Buckeburg to Berlin corridor at Brandenburg. Another is in the British-Hamburg to Berlin corridor at Perleburg. Two others are in the American corridor at Koethen and Zerbst. The rest are in the Berlin Air Safety Control zone over Berlin, which has a 20-mile radius.

Unfavorable Weather

Weather over the Berlin area was unfavorable today. The sky was heavily overcast with a ceiling between 1,000 and 1,200 feet.

American operations officers said the Russians notified them that three Soviet C-47s would be training on instruments at between 1,200 to 2,400 feet from two of their Berlin airfields.

Two Russian bi-planes will be practicing instrument flying at 1,800 to 2,400 feet from a third Soviet airfield. In the American corridor Yak fighters were flying blind up to 7,500 feet.

An editorial in Tagliche Rundschau, official Soviet mouthpiece, said that even western commentators conceded that if a new war came Soviet advance troops could reach the Rhine within a few days and the European Atlantic coast within a few weeks.

German Scores Reds

Jacob Kaiser, chairman of Berlin's anti-Communist Christian Democrats, denounced the Russian blockade as the "cruelest blockade against the will for freedom of a working population."

Kaiser was cheered by a mass meeting of 3,000 anti-Communists as he denounced the Russian action and the Germans' silent endorsement of it.

He called on Berliners to continue to resist totalitarianism despite the hardships they suffer "under a blockade which is imposed in peace time against defenseless and helpless people."

He said the Communists would learn that the German people could not be won by the "persecution and starvation of a city."

HOSPITAL REPORT

The following submitted to operations at the Warner hospital this morning for the removal of their tonsils: Dennis Newman, 249 Carlisle street; Gerry McCauslin, Taneyville R. 1; Mary M. Ohler, Taneyville R. 1; Judy Ann Saubie, Taneyville R. D.; Charles Livingston, 115 Breckenridge street; Mrs. Holbert Riley, 213 West Middle street, and Roger A. Lindsay, Westminster.

Other admissions include Mrs. Charles Trout, Keymer, Md.; Mrs. Dorsey A. Shultz, Cashtown; Mrs. Richard Smith, Emmitsburg R. 2; Mrs. Richard Cool, Littlestown R. 2; Barbara Miller, Gettysburg R. 3; Mrs. Steve Mylonas, Gettysburg R. 3; and Mrs. Robert Heller, Aspers R. 1. Those discharged were Charles Cook, Gettysburg R. 2; Mrs. Ira Naugle and infant daughter, Kay Gwendolyn, Orrtanna R. 1; Georgianna Stoneback, Fairfield; Frances and Gene Miller, both of Littlestown; Sarah Riley, East Middle street, and Melvin Lawver, Baltimore street.

Property dry cleaners wishes to impress upon its customers that beginning July 19 to August 13 they will close at 5:00 o'clock weekdays and 8:00 o'clock Saturdays as usual.

Scampton, Eng., July 17 (AP)—The vanguard of 60 superfortress bombers carrying more than 1,200 men landed in Britain today in the greatest show of American air might in Europe since the end of the war.

Manned almost wholly by crews toughened in the battle over Japan and Germany, the B-29s settled down at three fields on the edge of East Anglia, where the Eighth Air Force organized its smashing blows against the Nazis.

Aid To Starving

The planes arrived in Britain as the British and Americans were continuing their all-out effort to feed 2,500,000 people in Soviet-blocked Berlin by airborne supplies. The Russians were threatening to put a squeeze on planes flying the air corridor to Berlin.

Planes from the 307th group of MacDill Field, Fla., arriving by way of Bermuda, began touching down at Marham field at 5:35 a.m., those from the 28th group coming from Rapid City, S. D., by way of Goose Bay began arriving at 7:20 a.m.

Sixteen jet fighters are expected to arrive in Germany next week. The jets, en route from Selfridge Field, Mich., are stalled by bad weather at Goose Bay, Labrador.

Veteran Crews

The first plane to reach Scampton was commanded by Col. John Henry, boss of the 28th bomber group. The plane was manned by the crew of 1st Lt. William R. McDonald of Detroit, who said "my crew are 100 per cent veterans of combat and so are most of the others coming over."

The crews arriving in Scampton were greeted by Lt. Col. Daniel E. Hawes of Rose Hill, N. C., deputy commander of the U. S. B-29 base at Furstenfeldbruck, near Munich.

He said the groups will be accompanied by two to five C-54 cargo ships each carrying ground crews and equipment. He said each B-29 has an all-Indian crew aboard plus nine or 10 spare members or ground personnel.

Joint Maneuvers

Hawes said the B-29s will probably take part in joint maneuvers with the RAF during the stay of two to four weeks in Britain.

"As far as I know they will not be based on the continent during any part of this stay," he added. "Our base at Furstenfeldbruck is the only one in Europe outside England which could handle these airplanes."

The 28th air group will be based during the stay at this active RAF station which has a main runway of 1,960 yards long. The 307th will be split up between Marham and Waddington, which also have runways long enough to accommodate big bombers.

During the war all three fields were used by Lancasters, which carried heavy bomb loads to Germany.

The British Press association quoted Col. Henry, a resident of Charlotte, Texas, as saying "we are operational, but we are not primed and cocked."

News Items From Littlestown

17 COMMITTEES FOR LIONS CLUB ARE ANNOUNCED

President Harry T. Harner presided at the semi-monthly meeting of the Littlestown Lions club on Thursday evening which was held at Bankert's restaurant. George Maitland, Jr., was received into membership. The entertainment was in charge of the special committee which consisted of the new president, Mr. Harner, and the recent past-president Robert L. Crouse. Mr. Crouse, through the courtesy of the Dodge Motor company, entertained the Lions with the motion picture, "Jimmy Lynch, the Daredevil Driver."

On Monday night, a group from the local club will be the guests of the Gettysburg Lions club, when a softball game will follow a picnic supper at Sheffer's park, Gettysburg.

Twenty-seven members received 100 per cent attendance pins for the period from September 1, 1947 to April 30, 1948. The next meeting will be held out of doors at a place to be announced later, when the attendance committee, E. A. Rebert, chairman, will be in charge. A directors meeting followed the regular meeting.

Committees For 1948

President Harry T. Harner has announced the following committees for the year 1948-1949:

Administrative: Attendance, Erwin A. Rebert, Holman L. Sell and Robert L. Crouse; constitution and by-laws, Chester S. Byers, George G. Collins and W. A. Crabbs; convention, Reid C. Eppelman, James Harrington and Paul L. Hollinger; finance, Dr. Samuel L. Bucke, John D. Basehoar and Karl P. Bankert; Lions education, Rev. Kenneth D. James, Irvin R. Kindig and Leonard S. Kerchner; membership, James U. Bowers, John F. Feaser and John W. McGore; program, Harry J. Koonitz, Charles Lemmon and William S. Menges; publicity, J. Harvey Pettyjohn, Quintin D. Rebert and Vernon C. Reaver.

Activities: Boys and girls, Clayton L. Evans, John H. Riley and C. E. Schroll; citizenship and patriotism, John N. Sell, Charles A. Snyder and Amos L. Spangler; civic improvement, Roscoe C. Spencer, H. Dewey Streig and John E. Stambaugh; community betterment, Ralph L. Staley, Marvin Breighner and Sterling J. Wisotzky; education, Mark H. Truslie, Foreman Staveland and Ralph A. White; health and welfare, Edgar A. Wolfe and J. Donald Lemmon; safety, Leon H. Gage, W. E. Koons and George A. Kress; sight conservation and blind, John R. Bloom, Stanley D. Bowersox and Paul M. Bowman.

Announcement Programs
The Greater Committee consists of Wilbur A. Bankert and the Rev. Kenneth D. James.

President Harner announced that the meetings on August 5 and 19 will be outdoor meetings. The program just released to the membership announced three Ladies' night programs, one October 7 in charge of the Greater committee; on March 3 in charge of the finance committee and on May 19 in charge of the constitution and by-laws committee. A Family Night Christmas party in charge of the boys' and girls' committee will be held on December 16.

The new officers for the year are: Harry T. Harner, president; first vice-president, John F. Feaser; second vice-president, John R. Bloom; third vice-president, W. E. Koons; Tail Twister, John N. Sell; Lion Tamer, J. Harvey Pettyjohn; song leader, James U. Bowers; directors for one year, Amos L. Spangler and Leonard S. Kerchner; directors for two years, Clayton L. Evans and John W. Legore.

Ladies' Aid Society Meets Wednesday

Twenty members were present on Wednesday evening for the monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Luke's church. White Hall. The meeting opened with a song service followed by the reading of Psalms 23 and 27 by Mrs. Ray Breighner. A poem, "Whatever is Best" was read by Mrs. Breighner. John H. Hartlaub. A group game was in charge of the business. In the absence of the secretary, the report was read by Mrs. Doris Snyder. The birthday of Mrs. Guy McCabe was observed. Miss June Breighner was received as a new member. It was decided to advance the August meeting by one week. Therefore the August meeting will be held Wednesday, August 4.

A social hour was then enjoyed under the direction of Mr. Guy

McCabe. A vegetable game was played which was won by Mrs. John H. Hartlaub. A group game, "Going West" was then enjoyed. The guess package contributed by Mrs. Ray Reichart was received by Mrs. Roscoe Klinefelter. It was announced that the annual St. Luke's picnic will be held Saturday, August 14, with the usual chicken dinner served in the social hall. Plans for the picnic will be discussed at the next meeting.

The Rev. and Mrs. David S. Kammerer, West King street, spent some time in York on Thursday afternoon and evening. They also called on Mrs. Emma Sindle, a member of St. Paul's Lutheran church, who is a guest in the Krout Convalescent Home near York. They were accompanied to York by their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Gouker and Miss Mary Gail Robert Gluker and Miss Mary Gail DEM

REV. K. D. JAMES TO GIVE VESPER SERMON SUNDAY

St. John's Lutheran church will be in charge of the third union vesper service to be held in Crouse park Littlestown, Sunday at 7 p.m. The pastor, the Rev. Kenneth D. James, has selected as the theme of his sermon, "An Earnest Request." The junior and senior choirs under the direction of Miss Kathryn Shriver will sing. The public is cordially invited.

Announcements by the pastors of week-end and the following week are:

Christ Reformed church, the Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m. Sermon, "Zestful

Christians." Thursday, 7:30 p.m., a joint rehearsal of the St. Luke's, White Hall choir and the Christ Church choir at Christ Church; meeting of those who expect to enroll in the Catechetical class following the church service.

St. Luke's Reformed church, White Hall, the Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor. Tonight at 8 o'clock, Missionary society in the church, leader, Mrs. Ed. Breighner; Sunday, morning worship, 9 a.m.; sermon, "Zestful Christians"; Sunday school, 10 a.m.; Thursday, 7:30 p.m. in Christ church, a joint rehearsal of the St. Luke's and Christ church choirs.

St. Mark's Reformed church, along the Gettysburg pike, the Rev. Dr. Howard Schley Fox, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a.m.

St. James' Reformed church,

along the Harney road, the Rev. Arthur Leeming, supply pastor. Church service 9 a.m.; Sunday school, 10 a.m.

Redeemer's Reformed church, the Rev. Frank E. Reynolds, pastor. Tonight at 8 o'clock, the softball team and other men will leave the Littlestown playground for Carlisle where they will play the team from First Reformed church, Carlisle. Sunday, Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m.; sermon, "The Place of the Spirit"; Wednesday, 8 p.m., meeting of the Young Men's Bible class, Dr. R. M. Phreaner, teacher, at the church.

Centenary Methodist church, the Rev. Grantas E. Hoopert, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m.; sermon, "Think on These Things." A congregational meeting will be held following this service to vote on the purchase of a one-manual electric Minshall-Estey organ; Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., meeting of the Women's Society of Chris-

tian Service at the home of Mrs. E. E. Furlow, along the Baltimore pike.


St. Aloysius church, the Rev. Fr. George A. Lavelle, pastor. Saturday, confessions, 4 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.; Sunday, low masses, 7:30 and 10 a.m.; meeting of the particular council of the St. Vincent de Paul society in St. Mary's of the Immaculate Conception Parish hall, New Oxford at 2 p.m.; daily mass, 7:30 a.m.

St. John's Lutheran church, the Rev. Kenneth D. James, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a.m.; divine worship, 10:15 a.m.; sermon, "Selling One's Birthright." The Christian Endeavor society will meet at the home of Miss Jean Yealy, West King street, at 6:45 p.m. to attend the union vesper service in Crouse park in a body; Sunday afternoon, Tuch-A-Bach class picnic at the National Museum park, Gettysburg; Tuesday, 8 p.m., an outdoor meeting of the Brotherhood on the parsonage lawn,

West King street. Program committee: Raymond Redd, Walter Myers and Raymond Rineman; Refreshment committee: Lester Myers, Edgar Wolfe and Robert Crouse. Grace Lutheran church, Two Taverns, the Rev. Dr. J. M. Myers, pastor. Sunday school, 9 a.m.; church services, 10 a.m. Sermon, "The Challenge for the Youth of the Church."


St. Paul's Lutheran church, the Rev. David S. Kammerer, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m. Monday, 6:30 p.m., annual family picnic of the Loyalty Sunday school class, Mrs. Carl Baumgardner, teacher, Mt. Tabor park, Rocky Ridge, Md. Each family is to bring their own sandwiches and table service and a covered dish for the group; choir, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.

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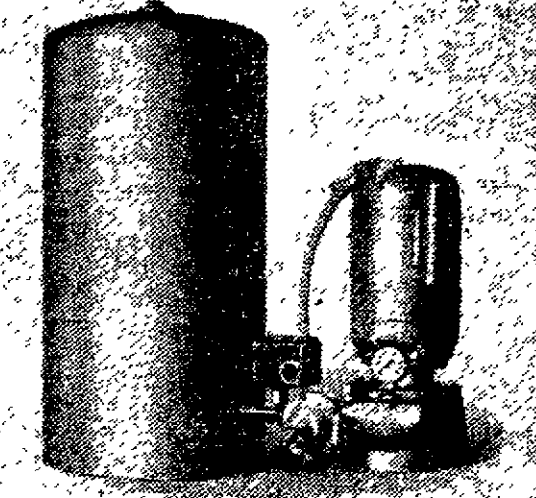
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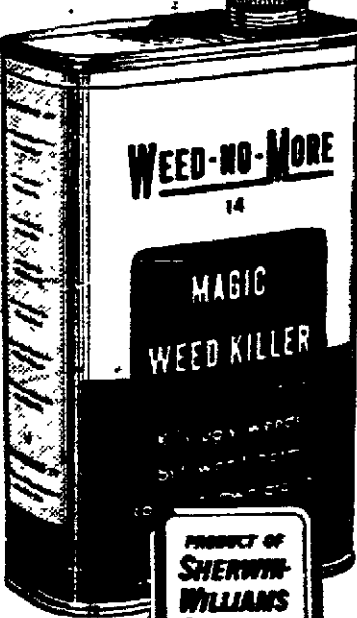
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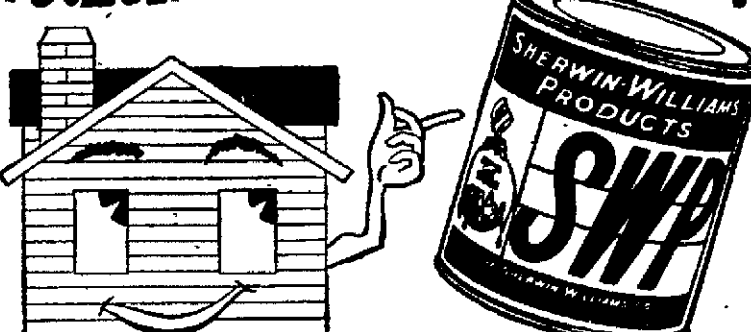
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SHOTTON WINS FIRST GAME IN DODGER CAMP

By RALPH RODEN
(AP Sports Writer)

Burt Shotton, who came out of nowhere to lead the Brooklyn Dodgers to the 1947 National league pennant, got off to a good start in his 1948 debut.

Shotton managed the Dodgers to a 4-2 victory over the Cincinnati Reds yesterday after assuming command, in the greatest managerial shakeup in baseball history.

The soft-spoken Shotton replaced Lippy Leo Durocher at the Dodger helm with the flamboyant Durocher moving across the river to take over helm of the New York Giants. Durocher replaced Mel Ott who resigned, Ott, however, will remain in the Giant organization probably as an aide to Carl Hubbell, Giant farm director.

In the other managerial change, Allen (Dusty) Cooke was named temporary manager of the Philadelphia Phillies, replacing Ben Chapman.

Cooke, however, didn't fare as well as Shotton as the Cardinals thumped the Phils, 8-2 in a night game at St. Louis.

Durocher's debut was delayed until today as the Giants' scheduled night game with the Pirates was postponed because of rain.

For a while it appeared the Dodgers would lose as Grady Hatton belted a two-run homer in the first inning off Joe Hatten to give Ewell Blackwell a working margin.

Braves Stretch Lead
Blackwell blanked the Dodgers on one hit going into the seventh-inning when the Brooks finally scored a run. The Dodgers drove Blackwell to cover in the eighth and won the game with a three-run rally.

Cooke's Phils were in the game with the Cards for five innings. Leading, 3-2, going into the sixth, the Cards broke the game wide open, scoring four runs. Three of them came on a double by Relief Pitcher Ted Wilks.

Meanwhile, the league-leading Boston Braves moved six-and-one-half games ahead of the Pirates by taking a wild 12-10 decision from the Cubs in a day encounter at Chicago.

A's Hammer Feller
In the American league, the runner-up Philadelphia Athletics trounced the front-running Cleveland Indians, 10-5, in a night game at Philadelphia to shave the Indians' margin to one-and-one-half games.

The A's hammered Bob Feller out of the box in their first inning scoring five runs.

The triumph enabled the A's to move two games ahead of the third-place New York Yankees who were upset, 10-4, by the St. Louis Browns at the Yankee Stadium.

The rising Boston Red Sox downed the Detroit Tigers, 5-3, in Boston to move to within two-and-one-half games of the Yanks.

In a night game at Washington, the last-place Chicago White Sox edged the Senators, 3-2.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Cleveland	47	29	.618
Philadelphia	49	34	.590	1 1/2
New York	45	33	.577	3
Boston	42	35	.545	5 1/2
Detroit	39	40	.494	9 1/2
Washington	35	43	.449	13
St. Louis	29	46	.387	17 1/2
Chicago	24	50	.324	22

Friday's Score

Boston, 5; Detroit, 3.
St. Louis, 10; New York, 4.
Chicago, 3; Washington, 2, (n.)
Philadelphia, 10; Cleveland, 5, (n.)

Today's Games

Chicago at Washington.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Boston.
St. Louis at New York.

Sunday's Games

Cleveland at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Detroit at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.
(All Doubleheaders.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	48	31	.608
Pittsburgh	40	36	.526	6 1/2
St. Louis	40	37	.519	7
Brooklyn	37	37	.500	8 1/2
New York	37	38	.493	9
Cincinnati	37	42	.468	11
Philadelphia	37	43	.463	11 1/2
Chicago	33	45	.422	14 1/2

Friday's Scores

Brooklyn, 4; Cincinnati, 2.
Boston, 12; Chicago, 10.
St. Louis, 8; Philadelphia, 2.
New York at Pittsburgh, postponed.

Today's Games

New York at Pittsburgh.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati, (2).
Boston at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Sunday's Games

Boston at Pittsburgh.
New York at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at St. Louis.
(All Doubleheaders.)

MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE
Baltimore, 3-4; Syracuse, 2-7.
Newark, 3; Jersey City, 0.
Rochester, 2; Montreal, 1.
Buffalo at Toronto postponed.
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Louisville, 5-0; St. Paul, 4-9.

Cardinals Upset Phillies Nine 9-7

The Cardinals defeated the Phillies 9-7 in a Junior Baseball league game Friday evening on Codori field. The league is sponsored by the Gettysburg Recreation association.

A four-run outburst in the last of the fifth inning enabled the Cardinals to come from behind to win.

Cardinals	ab	r	h
W. Stoness, c	5	1	2
T. Small, 1b	3	3	2
J. Coleman, 2b	3	1	2
E. Barr, p	3	0	0
J. Thompson, lf	3	1	0
John Coleman, rf	3	0	1
C. Saunders, ss	3	1	0
R. Saunders, 3b	2	2	1
D. McGlaughlin, cf	2	0	0
Totals	27	9	8

Phillies	ab	r	h
R. Gligous, rf	2	0	0
F. Gormley, 1b	3	1	0
G. Crist, 2b	3	1	1
E. Steinberger, p	3	2	2
B. Shepherd, c	3	1	1
K. Shindeldecker, cf	2	1	0
P. Bachman, 3b	3	1	1
G. Musser, lf	3	0	1
B. Drake, ss	3	0	0
D. Gligous, cf	1	0	0
Totals	27	7	6

Score by innings: 3 0 0 2 0 2-7
Cardinals 1-2 1 0 4 1 x-9
Home runs, T. Small. Three base hit, Steinberger.

CHAPMAN FIRED AS PHIL PILOT; NO SUCCESSOR

Philadelphia, July 17 (AP)—Whether he was "fired" or "dismissed" or pick-your-own-word, Ben Chapman is "out" as manager of the National league's Philadelphia Phillies.

And Coach Allen (Dusty) Cooke is in as Phil pilot—temporarily.

The switch took place with suddenness yesterday. First news came from the Phils' office here. Then President Bob Carpenter, Jr., confirmed the action at St. Louis where he had joined his club after Tuesday's all-star game.

Said Chapman: "You can say I was fired. I never quit in my life." Said Carpenter: "Please don't say I fired him. I'd like to make it clear that there is a difference between firing a man and concluding business with him. I don't want the feeling to exist that I fired him. We are parting good friends."

Said Chapman: "There is no animosity."

Then the fiery manager, at the Phils' helm since June 30, 1945, added: "I have been hired and fired as a ball player many times but this move by Mr. Carpenter is quite a shock. I wish that Mr. Carpenter would tell the public his real reason for my dismissal."

Carpenter would say only that the change was for the good of the team. Commented Chapman: "I thought the team was doing all right, only two games out of fourth place."

Who would succeed Chapman was fast becoming the big Philadelphia question today.

Mel Ott Mentioned
Mentioned first was Mel Ott, resigned manager of the New York Giants. Also in contention were Eddie Sawyer, long-time Phil farm pilot now manager of Toronto in the International league, and George Earnshaw, former Philadelphia Athletics pitching star and a coach-scout for the Phillies organization.

Cooke, 41, and Chapman, 40, have been friends since 1928 when their baseball careers crossed at Asheville, N. C. Both moved to St. Paul in the American association in 1929 and the following year were promoted to the New York Yankees.

"I wish Dusty Cooke the best of success," Chapman said. Cooke didn't come through his first time at the helm. The Phils lost 8-2 to the St. Louis Cardinals last night.

Said Cooke: "We will play the same kind of baseball that Chapman played because we don't know any other kind."

Favor Vic Ghezzi In Pittsburgh Match

Pittsburgh, July 17 (AP)—Vic Ghezzi, Englewood, N. J., pro was the overwhelming favorite today as the \$16,500 Dapper Dan invitational golf tournament went into its final 36 holes.

There was plenty of reason for Ghezzi's supporters to be optimistic. Yesterday he turned in his second consecutive 66 to wind up with a 36-hole total of 132—12 strokes below par on the Alcoma country club course and five strokes ahead of Jimmy Demaret, of Ojai, Calif. Demaret himself was below par for the second day, posting a 68 to go with his three-under par 69 on the first day for 137.

Sixty players remained in the event for the final two rounds. Five amateurs were among them. Frank Souchak, long driving Pittsburgher, led the Simonpures with a 149.

Columbus, 9-14; Minneapolis, 5-10. Indianapolis, 5-3; Kansas City, 3-0.
Milwaukee, 4; Toledo, 1.

The device of the rattlesnake, coiled and ready to strike was popular with colonists before the American revolution and used on a number of flags.

SPECULATE ON BIG BASEBALL MANAGER SHIFT

By JOE REICHLER
New York, July 17 (AP)—Still flabbergasted by the greatest managerial

shakeup in major league history, baseball followers today were speculating, "Where do the Giants and Dodgers go from here in the flag chase?"

Will swashbuckling Leo Durocher, who supplanted mild Mel Ott as manager of the New York Giants, make the heavy-hitting but weak-pitching Polo grounders a more formidable pennant threat? Can the game's most explosive firebrand since John McGraw instill some of his fighting spirit into the heretofore colorless, dead-panned Giants?

On the other hand will the 63-year-old Burt Shotton, who replaced Durocher at the Brooklyn Dodger helm, repeat his "Miracle of 1947?" Can the snow-thatched, uniformless tactician steer the fourth place Brooks to the top of the national league thus duplicating his brilliant achievement of last year?

Help To Both
Those and other questions won't be answered for several months, but the general feeling is that both clubs will be helped tremendously by the two-ply change.

The first scheduled meeting of the two teams under their new managers is slated for July 26 at Brooklyn. The switch from Ott to Durocher is easily the most fantastic shuffle in Giant history.

It is generally agreed that his new assignment is the toughest job in Durocher's career. Not only must Leo produce at the Polo grounds, but his managerial ability will be judged on what occurs in Brooklyn the balance of the season. Should Shotton lead Brooklyn to the flag, Leo's stock will drop considerably.

Leo also will have the added burden of swinging the Giants over to his way of playing. His handling of men may inspire the Giants or it may create resentment. It may take the Giants some time to become accustomed to Durocher. Paradoxically, it is probable that Brooklyn fans and players will be pleased about Shotton's return. Burt was an unknown man when he joined the Dodgers a year ago last April, but his retiring ways and his strong pennant crusade made Dodger patrons turn to him like a great protector.

Shotton's task, it is believed, is not nearly as difficult as Durocher's. Shotton knows the Dodgers as well as Durocher.

Also the Dodgers have been riding high in recent weeks after being in last place on July 3, the Brooks have climbed into fourth position in two weeks. On the other hand, the Giants have been descending steadily. In third place three weeks ago, they are now in the second division, having lost 11 of their last 17 games.

It is certain that Ott will be missed at the Polo grounds. Ever since Mel broke in as a 16-year-old under McGraw, he has been an idol of the fans.

Ott, plainly crestfallen over the latest turn of events, was asked whether he suggested Durocher as his successor. He replied that "Stoneham would have to answer that."

Stoneham insisted that Durocher was his first choice to succeed Ott. He said the entire deal took only 24 hours to consummate. He said he chanced a discussion with Rickey because "I felt that something was going on in Brooklyn with Durocher."

Major League Leaders

(By The Associated Press)
American League
Batting—Williams, Boston .338.
Runs batted in—Stephens, Boston 77.

Runs—Williams, Boston 66.
Hits—Boudreau, Cleveland 104.
Doubles—Williams, Boston 21.
Triples—DiMaggio, New York 10.
Home runs—Keltner, Cleveland 22.
Stolen bases—Coan, Washington 13.

Strikeouts—Feller, Cleveland and Brissie, Philadelphia 84.
Pitching—Fowler, Philadelphia 8-2 .800.

National League
Batting—Musial, St. Louis .395.
Runs batted in—Kiner, Pittsburgh and Musial, St. Louis 65.
Runs—Musial, St. Louis 68.
Hits—Musial, St. Louis 120.
Doubles—Robinson, Brooklyn and Ennis, Philadelphia 21.
Triples—Hopp, Pittsburgh 10.
Home runs—Kiner, Pittsburgh and Sauer, Cincinnati 24.
Stolen bases—Ashburn, Philadelphia 21.
Strikeouts—Branch, Brooklyn 9-2.
Pitching—Poat, New York 8-2 .818.

Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)
Hollywood, Calif. — Mario Trigo, 133½, Monterey, Mexico, outpointed Del Cockayne, 137½, Des Moines, 10.
New London, Conn. — Gene "Tiger" Jones, 203½, Camden, N. J., outpointed Sammy MacPherson, 245, Washington, R. I., 8.
Allentown, Pa. — Chuck Burton, 133, Newark, N. J., awarded decision over Archie Wilner, 139, Philadelphia. (Referee stopped bout in sixth round, declaring Wilner was not doing his best).



Ben Chapman (left) was dismissed as manager of the Philadelphia Phillies only a short while before this picture was made, but he still had a smile as he gave someone the details by telephone. With him is his temporary successor, Dusty Cooke.—(AP Wirephoto)

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

New York, July 17 (AP)—"Nice guys finish last." There's a lot of truth in those more-or-less, immortal words of Leo Durocher. . . . But they don't explain everything about yesterday's remarkable series of big league managerial changes. . . . Mel Ott probably is the nicest guy in baseball—or at least he'd be odds-on to win that title from anyone you can name. . . . He's out. . . . Ben Chapman, once regarded as a rather rambunctious character, settled down to become a pleasant pipe-smoking gentleman. . . . He's out. . . . Durocher, who doesn't want to be nice, is in as Giant manager. . . . Yeah, but how about pleasant Burt Shotton or Connie Mack or Billy Southworth or, for that matter, Chapman's buddy and successor, Dusty Cooke? They do a pretty good job of being nice guys.

WHODUNIT AND WHY

It's easy to explain why Ollie and Chappie were deposed, even why Branch Rickey was willing to let high-salaried Leo depart. . . . But there's something of a mystery in Durocher's reasons for switching jobs. . . . Leo kept teasing writers yesterday by suggesting: "What made it happen? You fellows haven't asked anything yet so I'm not saying anything." . . . But obviously he was fishing for a certain question that would give him a chance to spill some news. . . . The question, hasn't been asked yet.

MOORE AND MORE

Johnny Moore, one-time big leaguer, now is scout for the Boston Braves on the West Coast and is doing very well. . . . In his first season of scouting, Johnny signed 25 players and 24 of them held their jobs on Boston farm teams. . . . That made it all the more embarrassing the other day when the Cincinnati Reds announced they had signed an outstanding high school prospect—a .448 hitter—for their Ogden, Utah, farm club. . . . The kid's name is Johnny Moore.

SHORTS AND SHELLS

Drumbeater Everett Clay reports there are more Kentucky kernels at the Hialeah race track this summer than there ever were during the racing season. . . . Seems that the hay raked out of the stalls was used to cover the racing strip. . . . A lot of Kentucky corn (solid form) was mixed in with it. . . . The seeds sprouted and there's a nice corn patch growing on the track. . . . Bill Miller, who has been writing clever press releases about Los Angeles fights, has gone back into the management business with a couple of nose-bashers on his list.

Eastern League

(By The Associated Press)
Bill Smith does nearly everything for the Utica Blue Sox except collect tickets at the gate.
Smith, in the outfield Thursday night, made six hits and played a major role in beating the Albany Senators twice. Last night, as a pitcher, he whipped the Senators again, 5-2, to give the 1947 Eastern league champions a 4-1 edge in the five-game series.

The slumping Hartford Chiefs dropped both ends of a double bill to the triplets at Binghamton, 10-9 and 6-2. The Scranton Miners, stopped Thursday after winning eight straight, took two games from the Williamsport Tigers, 4-1 and 10-4. The Wilkes-Barre Barons divided two at Elmira, the Barons winning the first, 5-2, and the Pioneers copping the second, 5-4.

Tonight's schedule: Wilkes-Barre at Elmira, 1:30 p. m.

Yesterdays Stars

(By The Associated Press)
Pitching—Ted Wilks, Cardinals—Blanked Philadelphia on one hit in four innings of relief pitching and clouted a three-run-double to highlight St. Louis' 8-2 victory.
Batting—Bob Dillinger, Browns—Drove in five runs on bases loaded triple and three singles to lead St. Louis to 10-4 victory over New York.

In Australia alone, during the war, the American Red Cross served 10,000,000 meals and provided more than 1,000,000 overnight lodgings.

LOOP ARRANGES 2ND ALL-STAR BENEFIT TILT

Arrangements for a second All-Star game for the benefit of injured players were made at a meeting of the South Penn Baseball league Friday evening at the fire engine house.

The game will be played Sunday, August 8, on the Arendtsville diamond. The teams will be comprised of players from the north and south teams of the league. A similar game was played at Bonneauville on July 5.

It was decided that Heidlersburg's protest on the eligibility of a Cash-town player should be decided by the league's board of arbitration and a meeting of the board will be held this afternoon to make the decision.

Ross Sachs was approved for the Barlow roster.

President Glenn Bream presided at the meeting which was attended by representatives of all teams with the exception of Gettysburg and Wrensville.

Sunday's schedule for the league follows:

Wrensville at Gettysburg.
Greenmount at Barlow.
Granite at Conewago VFW.
Cashtown at Bonneauville.
Brushtown at Heidlersburg.

Games carded for Sunday in the Penn-Maryland league include: Taneytown at Littleton, Emmitsburg at Blue Ridge Summit, Thurmont at Middletown, McSherrystown at Wakefield, Hanover at Harney.

He said he was the first to arrive at the wreckage and found the bodies thrown clear of the unburned plane.

At Bedford, Frank Grazer said Pepple and he were partners in Bedford Airways and the latter took off in the plane Friday morning for Charleston, W. Va.

Mellot and Green were engineers for a strip mining company near Charleston.

SETS NEW RECORD

Williams Grove, Pa., July 17 (AP)—Arlie Cottier, West Chester, clipped 3½ seconds off his own week-old track record to win the 25-lap feature AAA midget auto race on the Williams Grove Speedway here last night. The time was 11:15.93 minutes. Finishing behind him were Al Shaeffer, Cleveland; Tony Gray, Indianapolis, and Herb Swan, Cleveland.

In 1947, about 200,000 people traveled to the top of Pike's Peak in Colorado.

Embezzler Faces 351-year Sentence

Philadelphia, July 17 (AP)—Bertram Block, 38, former city amusement tax division investigator, pleaded guilty to embezzling \$3,911 in taxes paid by the Cambria Athletic club. He was remanded to Moyamensing prison to await sentencing.

Block pleaded guilty yesterday before Judge Vincent A. Carroll to 28 bills of indictment.

Block faces a possible maximum sentence of 351 years and/or \$270,000 in fines.

Orrtanna

Orrtanna — Miss Elsie Ringler, of New Holland, Lancaster county, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. I. Z. Musselman.

Miss Nancy Wentz, of Hanover, is spending some time with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Utz.

Miss Mertle Holsinger returned to Chambersburg on Tuesday after several days' stay with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Saum, at the Howard Saum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wetzel and children, Genevieve and Wendell, visited recently with relatives in Hanover and Littlestown.

Kenneth Mickle, local carrier out of Orrtanna, attended the Rural Mail Carriers' convention in Reading this week.

Mrs. Wilbert Riggeal is reported convalescing nicely since being discharged from the Warner hospital where she was a patient for some time.

The following comprised a party who picnicked at Allens Lake near Owens Gap, on Sunday in observance of the recent birthday anniversary of Mrs. Willard Weaver, Gardner's R. D., and her sister, Miss Larita Shulley of this place; Mr. Weaver and son, Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor, Gettysburg, R. D., Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shulley and son, Donald, and Harold Hess, Gettysburg.

Helen Virginia, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Herring, is nine hits to help hand the Harrisburg Senators their fourth straight defeat.

Today's schedule: Lancaster at Harrisburg, Trenton at Hagerstown, Allentown at Sunbury and Wilmington at York.

Allentown's Cardinals edged the Sunbury Reds 5-3 in ten innings and continued their win streak to 11 straight. The Cards tied the count in the ninth frame with two unearned runs then added a pair in the 10th on three hits and a long fly.

Wilmington, meantime, was blanked by York 3-0 in the opener but came back to win the nightcap 7-4 with a three-run rally in the eighth. Third-place Trenton pulled two games away from the top by outsocking the Hagerstown Owls 9-6. The loss put the Owls deeper in the cellar. Lancaster's Zeb Wicker struck out 11 batters and scattered

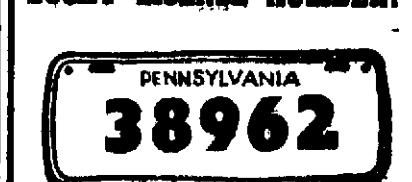
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reported improved after an illness.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slaybaugh, of Harney, visited friends in Orrtanna R. D. Sunday.

Earl Pepple, Allentown, is visiting his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pepple.

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FIGHTING STOPS IN JERUSALEM; BOMB DAMASCUS

By MAX BOYD
Calro, July 17 (AP)—Arabs and Jews ceased firing in Jerusalem today after a wild night of fighting, but the war went on elsewhere despite hopes a new truce was near for all Palestine.

Arab Legion officers in Jerusalem said Jews died by the hundreds in the Holy City fighting during the night. The battle came to a halt a second before the United Nations deadline at 4 a. m. (9 p. m. Friday, Eastern Standard Time.)

In the north holdout Arab forces continued fighting inside Nazareth. The Israelis announced its capture yesterday.

Damascus Raided
A Syrian communique said two Jewish planes raided Damascus without causing material damage. Count Folke Bernadotte, the U.N. mediator, was headed back for Palestine, hopeful of bringing the war to an end.

Bernadotte, acting on the authority of the United Nations Security Council, has fixed Sunday night as the deadline for a truce. Security Council members were reported studying possible steps to enforce the order if the Arabs reject it. The Jews have announced willingness to accept a truce if the Arabs will do so.

Guns and mortars pounded ceaselessly throughout the night in Jerusalem, like stormy waves on a rocky coast, but for hours after the cease-fire deadline, not a shot was heard. The Jews opened the attack last night from their positions in the modern city, dispatches from the old city said. They plastered the Arab-held walled old city with more than 500 shells before dawn. The Arabs replied with artillery. Dispatches from Jerusalem gave no estimate of Arab casualties.

Hit Holy Buildings
The Jewish shells struck fire from the tops of holy buildings along the Via Dolorosa—the way of sorrows along which Christ carried his cross.

Before the artillery duel began, Arab troops had broken through the Jewish front in the Mea Shearim quarter and blasted forward for 500 yards in the direction of modern Jerusalem's heart, American correspondents with the Arab Legion reported. Two mechanized Arab Legion companies, supported by irregulars, punched through strongly fortified Jewish lines in a surprise pre-dawn attack yesterday. By nightfall they had reached positions halfway through the all-Jewish quarter. Arab fire raked the Jewish business center on the Jaffa road.

The Arabs occupied a strongly fortified police post in the quarter and demolished a second police fortress, the correspondents said. Israel's northern command announced continued fighting in Nazareth by Arabs barricaded in monasteries and the police station.

Nation To Pay

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pected to flank Constitution avenue as the procession moves slowly toward the cemetery where Pershing will join his comrades of the first world war. A flight of jet fighter planes will fly overhead.

More than 3,000 persons have been invited to witness the Arlington Amphitheater rites. President Truman, his cabinet and the ranking defense leaders of the nation will attend.

At the conclusion of the ceremonies, the casket will be removed to the gravesite where members of the family and dignitaries will gather for committal services.

4 Motorists Are Each Fined \$10

Elizabeth H. Gebhart, Gettysburg R. 5, was fined \$10 and costs by Justice of the Peace W. D. Brown on a charge of failing to yield the right of way, state police of the Gettysburg sub-station, who filed the charge, said today. Filing of the charge followed an accident on June 26.

Roy W. Lambert, Jr., Dover, Pa., was fined \$10 and costs by Squire Brown on a speeding charge.

T. Earl Culp, Jr., Hanover, paid \$10 and costs to Squire Brown for driving too fast for conditions.

William H. Schmitt, Philadelphia, was fined \$10 and costs by Squire Brown on a charge of making an improper pass.

Occupants Escape Injury In Collision

Both automobiles were damaged, but no one was injured, when cars operated by Calvin E. Krug, 22, of Littlestown R. 2, and Patricia L. Lippy, 16, Littlestown R. 1, collided at the intersection of a dirt road and the Littlestown-Hoffman orphanage highway at 7:15 o'clock Friday night, state police of the Gettysburg sub-station, who investigated the accident, reported today.

Police said Krug drove out of the side road into the path of the other car, operated by Miss Lippy, and owned by Earl David Lemmon, Westminster R. 1. Damage was estimated at \$75 to each car.

Social Happenings

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Mr. and Mrs. Franklin R. Bigham and daughter, Jane and son, Robert, West Broadway, are spending the week-end in State College as guests of Mr. Bigham's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Urwin Rowntree. Miss Jane Bigham will remain for a visit with her uncle and aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin D. Lange and daughters, Becky and Linda, and son, David, returned to their home in Brooklyn, New York, today after a three weeks' visit with Mrs. Lange's mother, Mrs. Marie Ziegler, East Lincoln avenue.

The following members of the Hostess and Hospitality committee of the Gettysburg Woman's club are requested to attend a meeting Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the YWCA: Mrs. G. W. Lefever, chairman, Mrs. Dunning Idle, Jr., Mrs. John Millard, Mrs. Frederic E. Grist, Mrs. John D. Lippy, Mrs. Wilbur Plank, Mrs. William G. Weaver, Mrs. R. A. Campbell, Mrs. Wilmer Bream, Mrs. M. T. Dill and Mrs. Edwin Johnson.

Mrs. Robert M. Howard, who is instructor at St. Mary's-in-the-Field, Vahalla, N. Y., is spending her vacation with her cousins, Miss Adams and Miss Wolfe, 129 East Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Unger and children, Charlene and Denny, Biglerville road, are spending the week-end in West Virginia with relatives. They will also attend the Unger family picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morris, Punxsutawney, and their son-in-law and daughter, Lt. and Mrs. Walter Hibbard, and daughter, Annette, Carlisle, are week-end guests of Mrs. Morris' sister, Miss Ann Gilliland, Carlisle street.

Capt. and Mrs. Henry Hartman and daughters, Sandra and Patty, have returned to Wayne after a visit with Capt. Hartman's parents, Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Hartman, Springs avenue. Dr. and Mrs. Hartman had as guests for several days this week their daughter, Mrs. Paul A. Clutz, Mercersburg.

Miss Libby Fowler, York, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ross Shuman, East Broadway.

Miss Bess Cox, Carlisle street, spent Friday in Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Weaver, Oak Ridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Cline and son, Tommy, Biglerville, have gone to Dingman's Ferry, N. J., to spend some time with Mrs. Weaver's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Day.

Miss Karen Fiscus, Taneytown, is spending the week-end with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Johnson, Springs avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Burdick, Danbury, Conn., left today after a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Kenworthy, East Broadway.

Miss Margaret McMillan, York street, and her brother, David Kent McMillan, Chicago, Ill., spent Friday in Philadelphia with their cousins, Mrs. Eva Hine, Mr. McMillan's daughters, Mrs. J. P. Doerr and Miss Martha McMillan, have returned to their home in Chicago after a visit here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Pennington entertained the members of the Bandar Log club Friday evening at her home on Carlisle street. The club will

meet in two weeks with Mrs. Raymond F. Sheely, West Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Kathryn H. Cunningham has returned to her home after spending the past several weeks at Dundalk, Md., where she visited her son, Joseph H. Cunningham, who has been a patient at the Fort Howard Veterans' hospital since June 21, suffering from meningitis.

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond F. Sheely, West Lincoln avenue, are vacationing at Ocean City.

REDS FACE SPLIT IN ITALIAN UNION

By PHILIP CLARKE
Rome, July 17 (AP)—Christian Democrat labor leaders called upon their fellow workers today to break away from the Communist-led Confederation of Labor (CGIL) and form a new union.

Their action was aimed at the Communist labor bosses who plunged Italy into a disastrous 36-hour general strike Wednesday after the attempted assassination of Palmiro Togliatti, Italy's No. 1 Communist. Violence killed 16 Italians and wounded 204 before the CGIL yielded to government pressure and called off the strike.

A hospital bulletin at 9 a. m. (2 a. m. EST) said Togliatti's condition was better after a quiet night. It said there was no development after the settling of pneumonia in his right lung following the operation to remove two bullets.

Physicians said last night he was "fairly good considering his wounds" and that "by all means" he had a chance to survive.

The Christian Democrat labor leaders issued a call for a "Democratic and autonomous union. Free of all party influences."

They sent a sharp letter to the CGIL's Communist-dominated executive committee charging its strike call violated the labor union's constitution. The Christian Democrats called a special meeting of labor leaders from all over Italy in Rome next week to organize an independent union "operating in a way to reform the rights of labor."

**CULTIVATION
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Cultivation, the principal object of which is to control weeds, should be done carefully at this time, remind County Agents Hartman and Dummire, since row crops, by the time they are a foot high, have root systems which occupy most of the soil between the rows.

Roots supply plants with their moisture and mineral plant food and any damage to them impairs healthy development of the plants with the result yields are reduced.

In wet seasons crop roots develop close to the surface so that extra care is needed in cultivation to prevent serious mutilation. Sweeps or wing shovels which cut off the weeds just below the surface do much less damage to crop roots than the old-style straight shovels, and leave the surface smooth and less susceptible to erosion.

Spear point or diamond-shaped shovels also do a good job, if set with plenty of forward pitch, spaced to give complete coverage of the ground, and are not run too deeply.

Tractor cultivators often are run too deeply and too close to the rows. Time taken to obtain proper shovels and the right adjustment, may prevent serious damage to the roots and add many bushels to the yield.

Ridging of corn or potatoes, serves a purpose only for covering weeds in the rows, or to reduce the pushing out and sun-burning of tubers. Piling most of the soil up in high narrow ridges may result merely in greater drought damage, and in considerably reduced yields.

Presbyterians To Meet On Sunday

There will be a special meeting of the Gettysburg Presbyterian congregation Sunday morning following the regular service when the members will be asked to join with the pastor, the Rev. Robert M. Hunt, in asking Carlisle Presbytery to dissolve pastoral relations at this church.

The Rev. Mr. Hunt has accepted a position, effective September 1, as minister of Christian education and youth work at the East Liberty Presbyterian church in Pittsburgh.

Commissioners to Presbytery and a committee to direct the search for a new pastor here also will likely be elected Sunday.

Junior Chamber To Convene This Evening

Harrisburg, July 17 (AP)—The Pennsylvania Junior Chamber of Commerce opens its 1948-49 sessions tonight with the theme "Intersate Cooperation."

State Jaycee President Harold Budding of Lancaster said committee appointments will be made at the two-day meeting. Plans for the year will also be discussed.



ACTRESS—Film Actress Hedy Lamarr attends benefit show of United Nations Appeal for Children at a Paris circus.

STEEL USERS TO PAY WAGE RAISE

Pittsburgh, July 17 (AP)—Most of the nation's steelworkers are going to get fatter pay envelopes next pay day and U. S. Steel corporation says its customers will help provide them by paying more for steel.

U. S. Steel, long the bellwether of the industry, granted its 170,000 members of the CIO United Steelworkers an average hourly boost of 13 cents yesterday and said its 100,000 salaried workers would receive similar increases. All are effective immediately.

A spokesman for "Big Steel" said the corporation had lost its avowed fight to halt inflationary tendencies. The CIO United Steelworkers hailed the wage increase as "a great victory." Within a matter of hours, one other steel company granted wage boosts and two more indicated they would do so.

Ford Unions Ready To Vote On Strike

Detroit, July 17 (AP)—Possibility of a strike of 116,000 Ford Motor company production workers confronted the auto industry today as contract negotiations between Ford and the CIO United Auto Workers appeared to be at an impasse.

Both the company and union issued statements indicating their willingness to negotiate further on wages and other issues, but each indicated the other should take the initiative in arranging such meetings.

Meanwhile, members of the UAW's international executive board converged on Detroit for their Monday meeting at which they will act on a request by leaders of the Ford-UAW department for strike authorization.

Most locals in Ford's 46 plants scattered across the nation were expected to ballot over the week-end on the strike issue and Ford Local 600 of Detroit—the largest unit within the UAW—scheduled its strike vote meeting for Sunday.

There are 11 high waterfalls within an 11 mile section of Columbia River highway.

Oregon has more than 29,000,000 acres of forest lands, including lake and stream surfaces.



LAW'S LONG ARM—Virginia Mayo, film actress, stands beneath arm of Cliff Thompson, 8-foot, 7-inch lawyer from Tola, Wis., during his visit to Hollywood movie set.

Upper Communities

Homer Hobbs and Tom Hutchins, son, of Talbotton, Georgia, both of whom are spending a short time with an Army Reserves group at Fort Meade, Md., are on a week-end pass which they are spending at the home of Mr. Hobbs' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Klinefelter, of Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Nary and daughter, Louise, and son, Bruce, of Biglerville, left today to spend a two weeks' vacation at Beach Haven, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stoner and their three children, Elaine, Connie and Billy, left at the same time to spend a week's vacation at the same place.

Mrs. George M. Dill left Friday for her home at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, after spending several weeks at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. T. Dill, of Biglerville. She was met in Harrisburg by her daughter, Miss Elizabeth Dill, who had spent the time at Rehoboth Beach with her cousin, Miss Nancy Gilmour, of Drexel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Routsong, Benderville, have returned from a visit with Mrs. Routsong's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Peeler, Kannapolis, N. C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick and daughters, Nancy, Anne and Susan, Arendtsville, left today for a visit with Mrs. Frederick's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Ellis, Uniontown. Mrs. Frederick and her daughters will remain for two weeks while Mr. Frederick will return after a week-end visit.

Miss Jean Guise was tendered a surprise birthday party Thursday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Guise, Biglerville, in celebration of her 11th birthday anniversary. The following were present: Joan Geiselman, Betty Lou and Jean Kuykendall, Della Fritz, Jackie Slaybaugh, Janet Ehlman, Lola Ann Hildebrand, Elaine Stoner, Lucille Baker, Janet and Freda Warner, Patricia Guise, Sherry Jean Lady, Quay Shetter, Jean, Wayne, Larry and Rodney Cuse, Mrs. Kenneth Guise and Shirley Guise.

Mr. and Mrs. Parvin R. Bower and Mrs. George P. Smith, York Springs, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wingert, Camp Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Schriver, Benderville, and Mr. Schriver's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller, Lemoyne, returned today from a four-day tour of northwest Pennsylvania. Points of interest visited included Cook's state forest park, Pymatuning lake, Presque Isle on Lake Erie, and the Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania near Wellsboro.

A. D. Wells, Findlay, Ohio, who was en route home from the Democratic national convention in Philadelphia, visited his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Allen S. Stauffer, Biglerville, this week.

Harry Heller, who had been a patient at Johns Hopkins hospital, Baltimore, for a month, returned to his home in Biglerville today. Mrs. Heller and their sons, Clark and Marshall, motored to Baltimore for Mr. Heller.

Mrs. Donald R. Heiges and daughters, Carol and Joan Christina, New York city, who are with Mrs. E. Dale Heiges, Biglerville, for the summer, are spending some time in Cham-

bersburg with Mrs. Heiges' mother, Mrs. William A. Kump.

Mrs. Harold Heiges and children, Dale Palmer and Jean Marie, have returned to Washington, D. C., after spending two weeks with Mrs. Heiges. Dr. Heiges came to Biglerville for his family.

Dean L. Carey, Biglerville, has returned from Philadelphia where he spent the week attending the democratic national convention. Mr. Carey acted as a messenger on the convention floor.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Weigle have as week-end guests at their home in Biglerville Mrs. Weigle's sisters, Mrs. C. S. Grier and Mrs. G. S. Mock, and Mrs. Mock's daughter, Mrs. Clark Walker, and son, William, Wheeling, W. Va. On Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Weigle will entertain Mrs. Hope Ferris, Miss Gayle Gabrielson and Sherwood Ferris, Washington, D. C., who are week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Sterner, Gardners.

RADIO

New York, July 17 (AP)—Another of the network forums is observing an anniversary on Sunday. For People's Platform of CBS it will be the tenth.

The series, conducted for eight years by Lyman Bryson, the network's counsellor on public affairs, now is in charge of Dwight Cooke. It started as an informal dinner discussion with a hidden microphone, but now generally follows the radio forum pattern.

The anniversary broadcast at 12:30 p. m. will consider "The Democratic Candidates and Their Platform." Participants are to be Mayor H. H. Humphrey of Minneapolis and Sen. Owen Brewster of Maine.

On Saturday night list: NBC—8, George Olsen music; 8:30, Dick Jurgens band; 9, H. H. Parade; 10, Grand Old Opry, new time; 10:30, Radio City Playhouse, new time.

CBS—7, St. Louis Municipal opera; 8, Sing It Again, quiz; 9, Morey Amsterdam, comedy; 10, Let's Dance America.

AEC—7:30, Famous Jury Trials; 8:15, Hollywood Gold Cup race; 8:30, Amazing Malone; 9:30, What's My Name; 10, Prof. Quiz.

MBS—7, Hawaii Calls; 8, Twenty Questions; 9, Three for the Money quiz; 10, Chicago Theater concert; 11, Korn's A Crackin'.

Sunday show—NBC 1 p. m., America United "Federal Aid to Education"; 2, First Piano Quartet; 3:30, One Man's Family; 4:35, Living 1948 "Public Opinion Polls"; 5:30, Jane Pickens show; 7, Hollywood quiz; 8:30, RFD America quiz; 9:30, American Album; 10:30, Horace Heidt Talent.

CBS—12 noon, Invitation to Learning, Children's Classics; 1 p. m., Philadelphia Report Part 2 on Democrats; 4:30, Make Mine Music; 5:30, St. Louis Matinee at new time; 7, Gene Autry show; 8, Sam Spade; 9, Winner Take All; 10, Mickey Rooney Music show.

ABC—12:30, Piano Playhouse; 2:30, Mr. President; 5, Personal Autograph Musicale; 6:45, pre-Olympics broadcast; 7:30, Bill Goodwin comedy; 8, Stop the Music quiz; 9:30, Superstition drama; 10, Comedy Writers show.

MBS—2, Air Force program; 3:30, Life Begins at 80; 5, Under Arrest drama; 6, Those Webster; 7, Mystery Playhouse; 8, Meditation Board; 9:30, It's A Living; 10:30, Clary's Gazette.

About 7,000 Americans drown annually.

Emmitsburg

Emmitsburg—Miss Rose Mimmick, of Abington, Va., is spending some time with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. Lester Nester.

Miss Vivian Topper, of Baltimore, has been visiting with her grandmother Mrs. William Topper.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bouey moved on Saturday from the Mondorff apartment to the apartment recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. William Smith.

Mrs. Earl Rice and son, of Mercersburg, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. K. Matthews.

Mrs. Charles McNair and son, Brown McNair, spent several days last week at Atlantic City, N. J.

Dolores Burdner visited recently with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Naugle, of Frederick.

Mrs. Hester Burton moved recently to an apartment at the home of Mrs. Ethel Wood, West Main street.

Ronnie Topper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Topper, Baltimore, former resident of Emmitsburg, is a patient at Union Memorial hospital, Baltimore, suffering from a slight fracture of the skull suffered when he fell from the back of a milk delivery truck in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Adams and daughter moved during the week from a property at Annandale to the house owned by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gottl of Baltimore. This property is known as the Mary C. Herring place.

A birthday party was given on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. George Brown for her son Jimmie, who celebrated his eighth birthday anniversary. Those who attended were, Bobbie Troxell, John Michael

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BI-PARTISAN
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tions should have an advance immediately so that the buildings may be started before the Assembly meets. Should no work have been started on the buildings when the Assembly meets, I fear that there will be those who might suggest moving the United Nations elsewhere.

Bi-Partisan Agreement
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"It may be that with such assurances, private financing could be secured from banks. But failing such methods, it will be necessary to fall back on private contributions from many people. The loan would have the most educational effect but would be the most difficult to arrange quickly. I shall let you know how things develop."

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Most motorists make their own detours through life.

Trap for Trouble

If you are obliged to use a cleaner in the cooling system watch the underseater heater. It is quite a trap for cleaner during a flushing job. Since cooling systems should be treated to a flushing with neutralizer after a cleaner has been used it is the sad experience of some owners that the underseater heater core is damaged and starts to leak. The best plan is to disconnect it during the flushing if it has been working normally. However, if its own core is clogged flush it separately.

In the drive to reduce the number of highway accidents it is encouraging to note the increasing interest in putting automobile operation on a spiritual basis. In my daily mail there is evidence that more and more thoughtful drivers are aware that God's hand is at the wheel and that they are merely His emissaries. They not only pray for safety but

ask His blessing for all other users of street and highway. They keep their mind focused on the fact that when God's law and order are obeyed there can be only safety along the way.

The magazine "Unity" is urging greater safety this summer, putting forth the concept that "a host of prayerful travelers can make a vital contribution to the safety effort."

Figure it out for yourself. Do you ever remember getting into trouble when your mind was at peace, your sympathies with others and your spirit in tune with God? Safety experts have already gone on record as declaring that the real highway menace is the little man who drives home after working hours with hate in his heart and an assortment of little worries on his mind.

Useful to Know
Skip these if you have a master's degree in carology:
Engine oils with detergents added

are darker than straight oils. The main objection to shaving off the cylinder head to raise compression is that with the head thinner it is more likely to warp. You can tell if the fuel pump of your car has a vacuum slide to boost the windshield wipers merely by looking to see if there is a tube from it to the intake manifold and another to the wipers. A rusted water distribution tube in

a modern engine will cause a variety of troubles, including sticky valves and possibly a cracked block or valve seat.

"Because hydraulic brakes are designed to be self-equalizing any owner who finds one wheel locking before another is naturally puzzled. He does not realize that there is a certain amount of mechanical action to any hydraulic system, which

just serves to handicap the principle set down by Pascal.

"This mechanical action is at the brake bands and the shoes. The pistons of the wheel cylinders themselves move the shoes in a strictly mechanical way. Naturally you have to protect the shoes against stickage and rusting of their anchors. Tension of the return springs is also important."

Checking That Grab
I've been checking into a num-

ber of complaints of clutch grabbing and must say that there is plenty of evidence to support the theory that many drivers bring this on themselves. The more some of them try to smooth out clutch engagement the more chattering they seem to get. This is definitely due to what is known as "babbling" the clutch. If there is one unit of the car that is built to take punishment, it's the clutch. Be a little more deliberate when engaging

it, if it has been grabby. Also make sure that when you engage the clutch you also feed an appropriate amount of gas. Often the car is hesitant about getting into action merely because the engine hasn't enough gas to pull.

How to spend the night when motoring without benefit of trailer, hotel, overnight cabin or tent seems

to have been solved by makers of those systems which convert the car's cushions into a bed. One of the car makers has a special model with a bed conversion, but any car can be equipped with a similar system. In most of these your feet protrude into the luggage compartment for six-foot bed comfort. Another plan (Please turn to Page 6)

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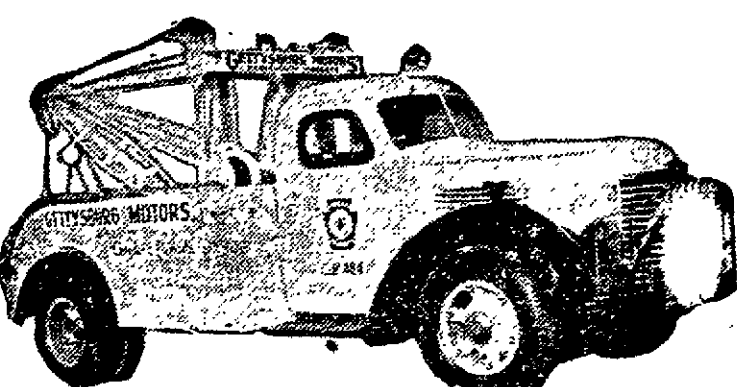
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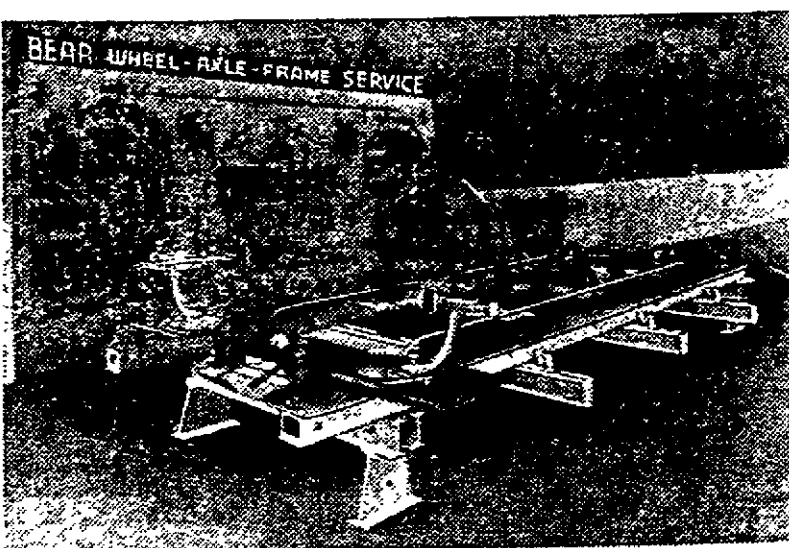
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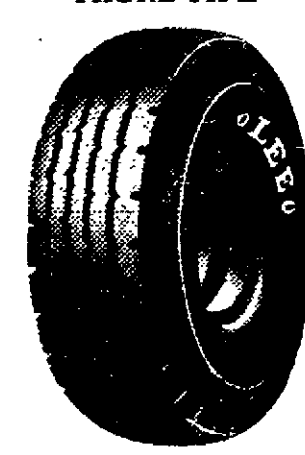
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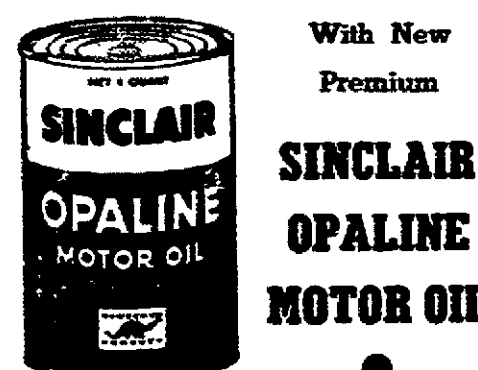
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Today's Talk

THE RIGHT TO DISAGREE

One of the most precious privileges attached to our free democracy is that one which gives a human being the right to disagree, without being shot for it! This is perhaps the greatest heritage of a free people.

There would be no virility in individual or national life did all people think alike. Disagreement stimulates thinking and creates ideas. Each one of us has the right to think or believe that he is right, until he can accept proof that he is wrong.

Human progress has as its cornerstone the right to protest and disagree. Thereby the light of truth is let in, and a clear way ahead is created. It is healthy for people to disagree so long as in doing so they seek the truth. But in the disagreement there should be nothing of the combative, but always the search for the germ and the substance that gives body to the truth.

I like to discuss, but I loathe arguing! No one gets anywhere by arguing, especially when bitterness creeps in, as it most always does in arguing. Free discussion, and an honest desire to be rightly informed, so as to arrive at an honest solution or understanding, is, of course, the one thing desired.

To think and act intelligently we must have a background of facts and information, and we should welcome this as a guide to right decisions. And this right to disagree, even with the facts and information presented, we should hold as sacred, and our right to consider them as we honestly may interpret.

"Life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness" are inherent rights granted to us at birth. And along with these is bequeathed to every human being the right to defend this right.

Every honest thinking person is stimulated by disagreements. We are led to the light by such disagreements, for they lead up into new paths of thinking, often showing up fallacies and clarifying misunderstandings. By clinging to this right to disagree we become masters of our minds and our beliefs. We therefore write our own declaration of independence: This is our privilege as free men and women.

Just Folks

By EDGAR A. GUEST
The Poet of the People

THE BETTER WORLD
That better world we hope to see
Is fashioned in our dreams,
And still men fear it cannot be,
So far away it seems.

For peace, in prayer at night, we plead,
With hearts that ache and burn,
Yet with the day, aroused by greed,
To quarreling we return.

We share the dream of brotherhood,
And in its cause enlist,
But still in every neighborhood
The ancient hates exist.

Not as a gift from God can come
A better world, but when
The passions now so troublesome
Shall mastered be by men.

Civic club with all of the Fairfield churches cooperating. The contests were under the direction of Arthur Roth.

Insult Expires in Paris: Paris, July 16 (AP)—Samuel Insull, 78, fallen \$4,000,000,000 ruler of midwest utilities empire, died suddenly early this afternoon.

Officials said he collapsed from a heart attack in a subway train.

Personal Mention: The Misses Helen Zinn, Caroline Smiley, Gloria Cardenti, Ann Swisher, Geraldine Francis, Carolyn Oyler, Colleen Thompson and Annette Shuman will occupy the Kleinfelter cottage at Pine Grove Furnace next week. Mrs. Russell Smiley will chaperone the group.

Captain L. S. Long, York street, is spending two weeks at Schuylkill Arsenal, Philadelphia.

Miss Ann Maust, York street, is spending the week-end at Wildwood, New Jersey, as the guest of Miss Betty Jane Snyder.

Mrs. William Hersh, Mrs. David Blocher and her three children, and Mrs. Charles Garland are spending a few days at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Roy W. Gifford is visiting in Lockport, New York.

Sister Frances and Sister Marina, of Portsmouth, Virginia, who are spending the summer at St. Joseph's college, Emmitsburg, visited Tuesday with Mrs. Annie Eckenrode, who is ill at her home on South Washington street.

LIONS TO CROSS BATS
Gettysburg and Littlestown Lions softball teams will meet Monday evening at Sheffer's park along the Biglerville road after the weekly dinner meeting of the Gettysburg club. The meeting will begin at 6 o'clock.

Little-Hell: Helen R. Hull, Taneytown, and Woodrow W. Riffe, Littlestown, were united in marriage in St. Paul's Reformed parsonage, Westminster, Saturday, July 2. The pastor, the Rev. Nevin E. Smith, performed the ring ceremony.

350 Attend Annual Fairfield Picnic: Approximately 350 persons attended the annual Fairfield community picnic at Union park, near Arendtsville, on Thursday. The picnic was sponsored by the Fairfield



HONORS OLD FRIEND—Bernard Baruch, former counsellor to Franklin D. Roosevelt, places wreath at the base of late president's statue in Grosvenor Square, London.

ADVANCE PLANS ON PENNA. WEEK

Harrisburg, July 17 (P)—Gov. James H. Duff today looked forward to the observance of Pennsylvania week as one of the outstanding events of its kind in the nation.

"The way to have better living and business in Pennsylvania is to have outside people know how good we have it in Pennsylvania," the governor said.

The week of September 26 through October 2 will be marked throughout the state as a means to highlight the Keystone state's history, tourist attractions and industrial facilities.

Brenton G. Wallace, state chairman of the observance, said a series of open houses is being arranged by industries in many sections of the state.

Industrial expositions are listed for a number of cities to aid residents in becoming more familiar with the products made in their own home towns, he added.

Regional chairmen met with the general committee this week and reported that chairmen have been selected for most counties in their areas. The county and area committees will include members of banking, manufacturing, motion pictures, newspapers, radio, religious, retail, utilities and women's groups, Wallace said.

29 GIRL SCOUTS

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Patricia Spangler, Darla Lemmon, Marilyn Spangler, Audrey Ellen Brumbach, Virginia Kootz, Louise Kerns, Phyllis, Higinbotham and Shirley Crouse. These are from Troop No. 26.

A project toward the Basketry badge were passed by: Nadine Sutes and Alvina Groff of Troop No. 14 and Shirley Stonestier, Joan Shull, Jean Miller, Barbara Waltman, Diane Stambaugh and Dixie Nester of Troop No. 15.

Leaders Attended
Leaders present at the camp were: Troop No. 15, Mrs. J. Ray Reindolfer, leader; Mrs. Carroll E. Arter and Mrs. Edwin Starely, assistants; Troop No. 14, Mrs. LeRoy Bish, leader; and troop No. 26, Miss Doris LeGore, leader. Mrs. Arter is also Arts and Craft consultant.

Troop Committee members who were present at the camp were: Mrs. Thera Spangler, Mrs. Stanley Stover, Mrs. Melvin Wehler, Mrs. Robert Crouse, Mrs. Mervin LeGore and Mrs. Harry T. Harner.

Others who were present as chaperones include Mrs. J. Harvey Pettijohn, Mrs. Richard Long, Mrs. Samuel Conover, Mrs. John C. Brumbach, Miss Shirley Spangler, Mrs. Charles Fissel and Mrs. Marvin Nester. Mrs. W. E. Stites was the camp cook.

Bankers Win
The Littlestown Bankers' softball team defeated the Eagles by a score of 10 to 6 on Friday evening. On Monday evening, there will be two contests. The regular scheduled game between the Keystone and Crouse's teams will be played. Also Sonny's and Harry's will play the Bankers. The latter game was originally scheduled for next Thursday evening.

Nemo Range Riders radio stars were the entertainers at the American Legion, VFW carnival on Friday night, which was the best attended night of the week thus far. Tonight will be the closing night when Golden Valley Trio will entertain. The ferris wheel, the pones, the miniature train and the Kiddie autos have been a grand attraction for the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Cloy I. Crouse, representing the Littlestown Rotary club, were the chaperons for the fourth community dance and teen-age party held Friday in the pavilion in Crouse park. The evening was enjoyed with recorded music under the direction of Clayton L. Evans, playground supervisor. Troop No. 13, Littlestown Girl Scouts had a snack-bar. The chaperons for the fifth party next Friday evening will be furnished by the Littlestown Lions club.

Crack Drum Corps Compete At Hershey

Hershey, Pa., July 17 (P)—More than a dozen crack drum and bugle corps from Pennsylvania and New Jersey compete tonight for \$2,050 in cash prizes offered by a York American Legion post.

A spokesman for post 127 said it was an attempt to get both American Legion and Veteran of Foreign Wars music groups in competition with each other.

Some of the corps listed among the entries are the Archer-Epplers VFW post, Philadelphia, state VFW champion last year; Hanover VFW post 2506, 1941 and 1942 state champion; Imhof post 152 American Legion, Philadelphia; Riverside, N. J.; William Bollman post, American Legion, Lebanon; Lock-Haven VFW post, and the West Reading Police Cadet corps.

East Berlin

East Berlin — Mrs. Grace Roland and Miss Irene Roland have moved from the George W. Moul apartment at the square to a part of the property of Mr. Roland's son, Harry, and family, formerly tenanted by Mr. and Mrs. Titus Mummert, now residing at the Anderson farm near Two Churches. Mrs. Harry Roland died in May.

Miss Claire L. Kuhn, Brooklyn, N. Y., a frequent visitor here to the home of her sister, Mrs. Augustine J. Tierney, is reported to be a patient at the Long Island college hospital, Brooklyn, suffering with a recurrence of a diabetic condition which hospitalized her two months last winter. Miss Kuhn is reported improving.

Carpenters have been at work repairing serious damage to houses and outbuildings at the Melvin Myers farm, R. 2, affected by the July 6 storm.

Miss Patsy Wonderling has returned to her home at Butler after visiting Mr. and Mrs. John W. Spangler as guest of their daughter, Sarah Louise.

Plans are being made for the annual Red Run church picnic to be conducted at Hoffman's Grove, R. 1, the second Saturday of August.

Miss Josephine A. Mixon, R. 2, has been suffering with a badly burned right hand.

The Perrow family, Hanover, visited friends here on Sunday. Mrs. Perrow is the former Miss Irene E. Gladfelter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gladfelter, R. 2.

Mrs. Carrie Messinger is under treatment for a fractured arm sustained when she tripped and fell in the yard of her home. She was treated at the Hanover hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Shultz, R. 3, observed their fourth wedding anniversary recently. They are the parents of five children, Norman, Ralph, Charles, Mrs. Joseph Weaver and Mrs. Dean Johnson, all of the York area. Mrs. Shultz is the former Miss Gertrude McMaster, Hamilton township.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Feiser and daughter, Miss Queenie M. Feiser, have returned from a month's motor trip to the west and southwest, visiting Mexico, Yellowstone Park, Hollywood, Calif. and other sight-seeing points. The trip was in celebration of Miss Feiser's recent graduation from the local high school.

Mrs. Marie Small Baker, near Abington, formerly of this section, is recovering from severe shock sustained last week when the car in which she was a passenger struck and broke a telephone pole in the Hanover area.

Miss Dorothy Mae Resser is improved but still confined to bed convalescing from a touch of pneumonia.

Members of the Lower Meridian Lutheran church, Two Churches, near town, are planning to spend Sunday as visitors at the Tressler Lutheran Orphanage, Loyville.

Lt. Zebulon M. Pike, discoverer of the Colorado Peak which bears his name, predicted in 1820, it would never be climbed, but it was climbed in 1820.

TRUMAN MAY BE ON DEFENSIVE IN EXTRA SESSION

By JAMES MARLOW
Washington, July 17 (P)—President Truman is trying to put the Republicans on the defensive by calling a special session of Congress.

But—They can put him and his Democrats on the defensive right at the start by calling up an anti-lynching or anti-poll tax bill.

If they do, you can be sure the southern Democrats will start a filibuster—marathon talk—to prevent any action on the bill.

Mr. Truman has said Congress needs only about 15 days to finish up all the bills he thinks should be passed.

Those include bills to control prices, help housing, give federal aid to education, and so on.

Democrats In Danger Too
But a filibuster by southern Democrats on an anti-lynching bill could go on for 15 days all by itself, blocking action on anything else.

And that would put Mr. Truman's own Democrats in the position of blocking the work the special session was called to do.

In the civil rights program he asked Congress to pass last February, Mr. Truman included an anti-lynching and anti-poll tax law.

The Republican-controlled Congress passed neither one. But in the 1948 election campaign platform hammered together at their convention in Philadelphia in June, the Republicans went on record as: (1) promising "prompt" action on an anti-lynching bill next year, if elected in November, and (2) favoring an end to the poll tax.

Had Committee Okays
So, in calling the special session of Congress for July 26, Mr. Truman in effect is saying: "I recommend an anti-lynching and anti-poll tax law. Now you say you're for them. All right, I'm giving you a chance to prove it."

But—and this is important in this story—although the Republicans didn't pass either one of those two laws, this did happen:

Senate committees—dominated by Republicans—spent months considering anti-lynching and anti-poll tax bills. They finally okayed both and sent them over to the full Senate for action, meaning a vote.

Controversial Bills Ready
But, the Republican-controlled Senate quit in June, without getting around to a vote on those bills. Those bills, all ready for action, are still waiting around in the Senate. The Republicans can call them up immediately, if they wish, as soon as the special session starts.

They could argue that putting together a bill on price controls, for instance, would take time, while anti-lynching and anti-poll tax bills are waiting and ready.

In the Senate there's no limit on the length of time a man can talk. If he wants, to talk indefinitely—filibuster—to delay action on a bill, he can. (In the House there is a limit on debate. There can't be a filibuster there. So if a bill ever got through the Senate, no filibuster could block it in the House.)

There's only one way in which a filibuster can be prevented. That's when two-thirds (62) of the 96 senators vote for "cloture," which means a limit on debate. That's rarely done.

In the Senate there are 51 Republicans, 45 Democrats.

Only 20 of the 45 Democrats are southerners. So there'd be enough non-southern Democrats, plus the 51 Republicans, to stop a filibuster.

If those northern Democrats didn't vote for cloture against a filibuster, they'd put their party leader, Mr. Truman, in an embarrassing position. They would be helping to block bills he asked for.

And—that might work against him badly in the upcoming elections.

NOMINATIONS TO COME UP AGAIN

Washington, July 17 (P)—More than 900 federal job holders—possibly including Chairman David E. Lilienthal of the Atomic Energy Commission—face an uncertain future today, caught in the crossfire between President Truman and a hostile Congress.

The Senate made no move during the last session of Congress to confirm a long list of Presidential appointments ranging from postmasters to federal judges.

The great bulk of these nominations ordinarily would become void on July 20—thirty days after Congress closed shop with no intention of returning until December 31.

But Mr. Truman's call for a special session beginning July 26 will raise the whole question of appointments again. He is certain to fire almost the whole list right back at the Senate.

Mr. Truman also has made several interim appointments since adjournment. These must be re-submitted to the Senate if the session lasts as long as 40 days. Otherwise, if the appointees continue in office they do so without pay.

As early as 1737 the recognized flag of the New England colonies had a blue field with a white union quartered by a red cross. Such a flag, with a green pine tree added, was carried at the Battle of Bunker Hill.

Critically Wounded Breaking Up Holdup

Philadelphia, July 17 (P)—The 73-year-old president of a north Philadelphia automobile company is in Lankenau hospital today with critical wounds suffered as he prevented bandits from stealing the company payroll.

James T. Finney was alone in the office when two youths entered yesterday. He battled the pair and then chased them into the street where he was shot in the side. Another employee took him to the hospital.

Police said the thugs escaped empty handed.

POLICE BREAK LIQUOR RING; FIND BIG STILL

Philadelphia, July 17 (P)—A raid by Federal agents and Pennsylvania state police smashed operations of a gang which allegedly has been bringing into Philadelphia thousands of dollars worth of untaxed liquor.

The agents and police yesterday found three men operating a 20-foot still capable of manufacturing 1,500 gallons of alcohol a day and seized 40,000 gallons of mash in an adjoining shed in an old Delaware county mansion.

Other agents raided what they said was the ring's "sugar and container drop" in a farm five miles away as well as a wholesale and retail drop in two West Philadelphia garages.

Francis V. Wills, chief of Federal Alcohol Tax unit, said the operations of the gang were "the most elaborate found in this area in the last few years." He said the still was capable of defrauding the government of \$27,000 daily.

Agents learned of the old mansion hide-out last May. Through high powered field glasses they watched

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Wills identified the three men arrested as Tony Marione, 52, and Joseph Santucci, 53, both of Philadelphia, and German Gomez, 54, of Chester, Pa. All were charged with operating an illegal still and possession of untaxed liquor.

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ORDINANCE: Assessing Properties Fronting on Main Street in the Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania. One (\$1.00), Dollar. Per Running Foot For Curbage.

Section 1—Be it enacted and ordained by the Town-Council of the Borough of Biglerville, Adams County, Pennsylvania, that the owners of real estate abutting on Main Street between Station 351/70 and Station 358/50, in the Borough of Biglerville, be assessed and they are hereby assessed One (\$1.00) Dollar per running foot for curbing to be constructed as shown by the plan prepared by the Department of Highways, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and approved by ordinance on May 11, 1948, and for which the Borough has by resolution and agreement agreed to contribute the sum of Twelve Thousand and Eight Hundred (\$12,800.00) Dollars.

Enacted into an ordinance and passed at a session of Council of the Borough of Biglerville held this 13th day of July, A. D. 1948.

J. W. DEARDORFF, President of Council.
E. L. ECKER, Borough Secretary.
J. MOKE SLATBAUGH, Burgess.

Attest: (Borough Seal)

LEGAL NOTICE: Estate of Lawrence A. Smith, late of the Borough of McSherrytown, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same, and all persons indebted to the said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

HELEN R. SMITH, Executrix of above estate.
Address: 146 Main Street, McSherrytown, Pa.

Or to her Attorney: Daniel E. Fisher, 44 Baltimore St., Gettysburg, Pa.

MARKETS

Gettysburg Grain-Eggs

Market prices at warehouses in this section; and paying prices as quoted today by the Adams County Egg Co-op. Assn.

Eggs
Large white 58
Medium white 54
Pullet white 52
Pullet brown 50
Large brown 58
Medium brown 56
Pullet brown 54
Ducks 34

GRAIN
Wheat \$2.11
Corn 2.18
Oats 1.87
Barley 1.87
Rye 1.87

Baltimore Fruit-Poultry

APPLES—Market barely steady. Bushels, Md. 1.10, Pa. 1.10, Va. 1.10, Yellow Transparent, some U. S. No. 1, some no grade mark. 2 1/2 in. up, \$1.50-2; 2 1/4 in. up, \$2-2.25; some smaller, 1 1/2-1 3/4; Williams Red, no mark, \$2; Duchess, 2 1/4 in. up, \$2.

LIVE POULTRY—Market dull. Receipts moderate. Demand slow, some carried. Wholesale selling prices, per pound in Baltimore:
FAYERS: 35-40c; mostly 35-40c.
FOWLS: 35-40c; mostly around 35c; lightweights (Leghorns), 30-35c; few best 35c.

Baltimore Livestock

CATTLE—200. Mainly steady on most classes. Medium grade grassy steers, \$31.50, 400.
CALVES—50. All grades nominally unchanged. Good and choice vealers quoted mainly \$22-25, 100-150.
HOGS—600-900. Butchers. No early sale but generally asking steady on good and choice offerings; demand slow, some carried on medium grades and garbage fed offerings and some interest bidding \$11-12c, or more under the price on comparable weight grades, note some demand on some.

SHEEP—50. Nothing in early. Choice shorn slaughter ewes, \$14.

Here And There

News Collected At Random

(Continued from Page 1)
Lutheran church, 326; Christ Reformed Sunday school, 287; individuals, 96. There were also other smaller gifts from individuals in Adams county during the month.

An "Interested reader" writes: "I always have been a very interested reader of The Gettysburg Times and I suggest that Reservoir avenue be changed to Lincoln Heights."

Veteran's beneficiaries in Adams County receiving payments from proceeds of National Service Life Insurance have the privilege of changing from Life Income with 120 monthly payments guaranteed to Life Refunding Income. Where payment commenced prior to September 30, 1944, this request for change must be registered not later than August 1, 1948. This may mean considerable saving to remaining family members where action is taken. Each affected beneficiary has received a registered letter from the Veterans Administration advising of this opportunity, but many have failed to return the completed form.

Hanover, announce the birth of a daughter at the Hanover hospital on Monday. This is their third child. Mrs. Istre is the former Marie Shrader, this area.

One of the largest auction attendances recorded throughout this area was seen Wednesday when a large variety of very rare antiques was sold throughout the day at the home of Mrs. Ida L. Sheely. The sale began in the morning and progressed well into evening. Chairs on the lawn at the home were provided for prospective buyers who came from Delaware, Indiana, New Jersey and North Carolina as well as distant points of Pennsylvania. In addition to furniture, articles offered included statuary, pictures, including baptismal certificates, samplers, linens and bedding, glassware, a large portion Steigle glass, and chinaware.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hagar and daughter, Betty, with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hagar, Jr., Statesville, N. C., spent the past week here as guests of Mrs. Emerson L. Eckert and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie E. Reinecker, near town, entertained at a lawn party and wieners, roast at their place recently. These relatives and friends were present: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perry, and daughter, Lana Anne, Mrs. Jacob Peterman, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Alvine, Mr. and Mrs. George Alvine and sons, Mr. and Mrs. George Hoffhines and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hoffhines and son, Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Clair H. Mumert. The Reineckers' daughter, Mary, assisted in entertaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Berkeimer and daughters, Linda and Susan, Abbotstown, have returned from a stay at Ocean City, N. J. Berkeimer is the former Miss Nettie M. Kopman, this place.

Mrs. George Newman, New York City, was recently entertained at Sangamo farm, the home of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Dunstan, R. 2.

Repairs are being made to the barn of the E. J. J. Gobrecht place near here which was partially unroofed by the July 6 storm. The tenant there is George Mummert.

PREMIER WINS FIRST ROUND IN ITALY'S CRISIS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE (AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

There is encouragement for the Democracies in the way the Italian government withstood the first fierce efforts of Communism to capitalize the crisis precipitated by the misguided shooting of Palmiro Togliatti, one of Stalin's favorites and leader of Italy's Reds.

Having ventured this bit of optimism your correspondent hastens to add that the danger is far from over. Blood has been shed and the situation remains highly inflammable. De Gasperi has stood off the enemy in the first mad rush—but the fight isn't finished.

We may be sure that there would have been a revolutionary government in Rome by now if the Bolsheviks had been able to put across their flash rebellion. They did their utmost by creating nation-wide disorders and a general strike to paralyze the country.

He Got Tough

However, in this moment of supreme danger to the state, Premier De Gasperi got tough. It was do or die. He flung the police and troops into the disaffected areas and warned the Bolsheviks that he would use all the force at his command to break the "insurrection"—and insurrection it was. In the face of this challenge by a daring chief of state, backed by loyal troops and police, the Reds called off the general strike.

The threat of a civil war thus was met successfully, at least for the moment. And it is significant that it was checked in those especially dangerous early hours when passions were running high as the result of the assault on Togliatti.

That was Bolshevism's big moment—if it had the necessary strength. Communization of Italy is one of Moscow's prime objectives, because the peninsula would be an invaluable base for the conquest both of western Europe and the Mediterranean.

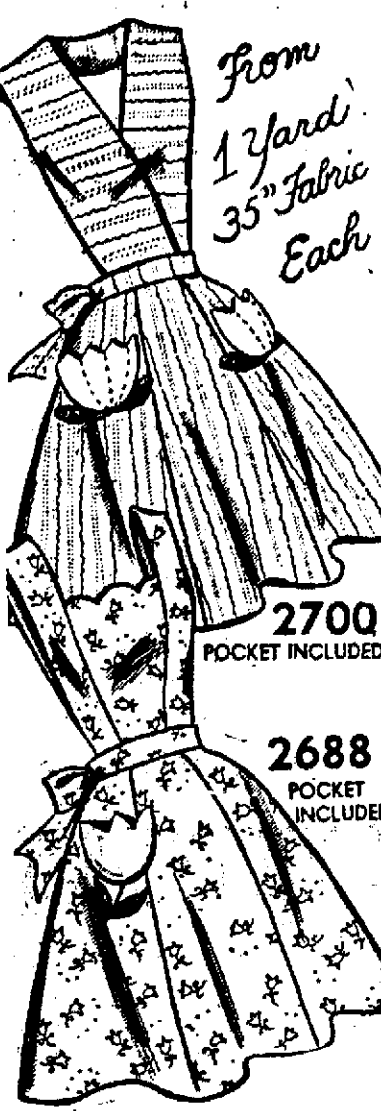
Have Martyr Now

Time alone will tell how great a disservice has been done to Italy in particular and Democracy in general by the shooting of Togliatti. In the first place it contravened the code of democracy. But beyond that it came at a time when the fortunes of the powerful Communist party in Italy were on the decline. The Reds had taken a sound trouncing in the last general election, and their once strong grip on the throat of the unfortunate nation was slipping.

Now the Communists have a martyr in the person of one of the most prominent Bolshevik leaders—a power even in Moscow itself. That will, to say the least, help stiffen the ranks of the Communists and might win them some sympathizers from outside the fold.

Still, it may be that De Gasperi's swift and energetic action in those crucial early hours may have averted catastrophe. One would expect a good deal to depend on Togliatti's progress towards recovery. Should he die—and he still is a very ill man—it might precipitate another and even more violent reaction than did the actual shooting.

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Property Transfers

Oscar M. and Madeline Laughman, Berwick township, sold to Norman E. and Christina A. Laughman, Oxford township, for \$2,900, a property in Berwick township.

The First National bank of Gettysburg, as trustee under the will of Florence E. Eldon, late of Menallen township, sold to John E. and Ruth A. MacBeth, Manleu, for \$392.50 a property in Aspers.

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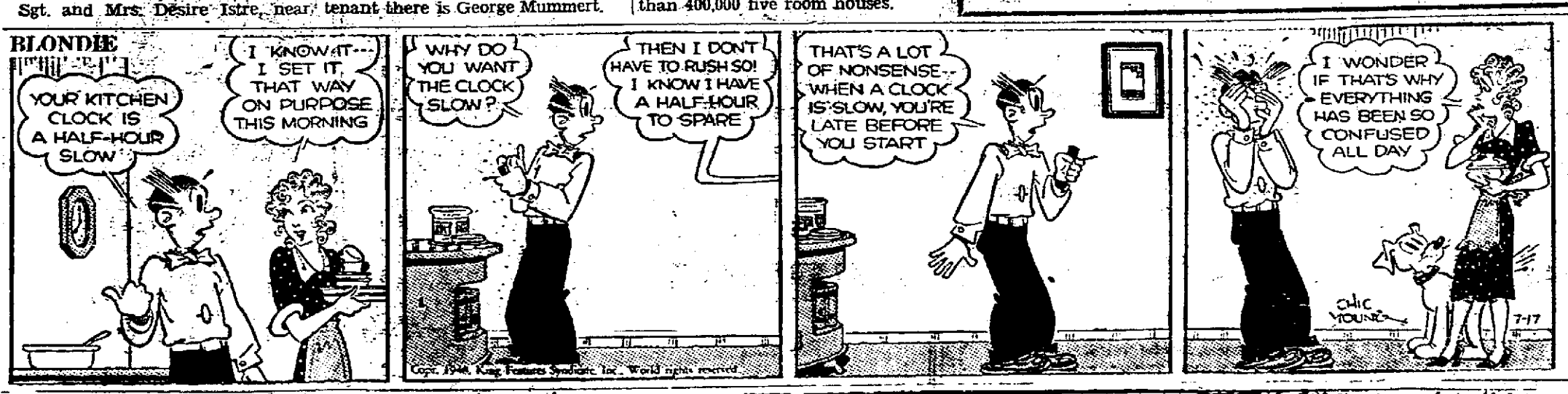
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Find My Killer

By MANLY WELLMAN

Chapter 29

"Well, Yates," said the voice of Dr. Stokes, and in he came from the front office. How long he'd been there, listening, I had no way of telling. He set on the desk a bag, the kind of little black bags doctors carry.

"Well, where do you go for new suspects?"

"Right back to the head of the list, doctor," I told him, in a voice I tried to make as smooth and good-humored as his.

He pursed his mouth. "Why, now," he said, "that means me. I was at the head of the list, wasn't I?"

"Correct, doctor," I said. "You were."

Mrs. Pettigrew had been looking at him, with fear beginning to grow and grow in her expression. "Do you need me any more, Mr. Yates?" she asked me. "If you don't, maybe I'd better—"

But before she got up, Dr. Stokes put his hand on her arm and gave her a little push to keep her in her chair.

"No," he told her. "I think you'd better stay until the end of this, Mrs. Pettigrew."

"I think you're right, doctor," I agreed. "A third party as a witness may help a lot."

"I was thinking that very thing," he said in a chair, skidding a little so that it was near the half-open door to the front office. He took his bag into his lap, idly snapped it open and rummaged inside. His eyes were on me, very steady and bright and smiling behind their thick glasses. "What's on your mind, Yates?"

"One chief point, and I'll get to it at once," I said. "The first murder was a champion for slickness, and the two others were almost as slick. To do them the way they were done took somebody who knows all about death." I paused, hoping that would make it impressive. "The man who knows most about death is a doctor."

"Elucidate," he said in the most winning of his voices. His hand was still straying inside his bag.

"Let's take the last two killings first, or rather one of them. Bensing, they found he died without his breakfast. But he would have had plenty of time to catch a bite if he got to your place, as you say, after the time you left."

"Well," said Dr. Stokes, "I was gone from home to my office at about eight-fifteen or eight-twenty, and no Bensing had shown up."

"Why didn't he eat, then?" I demanded.

"I'm afraid you'll have to ask him," said the doctor. "Contact him in the spirit world."

Mrs. Pettigrew was looking from one of us to the other and back again. She gathered her big body together, as if for an effort to rise. But, "Keep your seat, Mrs. Pettigrew," said Dr. Stokes gently, and she kept it.

"The medical examiner says that Bensing died about nine o'clock," I took up my review again. "But Bensing didn't die quite as late in the morning as that."

"No?" He looked mystified. Too mystified.

"No. He lay dead in a hot, hot room, both he and Alchisez. The heat of that room kept their bodies from cooling off at a normal rate for this time of year, and made it seem as if they'd died later."

Dr. Stokes tilted his head back and laughed, long and quietly, and shook his head from side to side. "You're romancing, Yates. The heat of that room was about seventy degrees, as I remember."

"You remember?" I threw at him quickly. "What makes you so dead certain about the temperature of the room?"

"Because I noticed it when I came back home after you called me," he said. "Being a medical man, I checked everything."

"That's right about the temperature when you came back. But what about when you left for your office earlier, about eight-thirty? What did the temperature read when you switched the automatic thermostat back to bring it down from what you'd pushed it up to, and walked out, leaving two dead men behind you to cool off extra slowly so as to give you another of your clever alibis?"

He smiled like an indulgent grownup at a fresh kid.

"Doctor," I said, "you don't seem to get mad at what I'm saying."

"Because you're accusing me of murder. And that only amuses me."

Mrs. Pettigrew got heavily to her feet. "I don't care what anybody says," she told us hastily. "I'm going."

She started for the door. But Dr. Stokes got up too. His bag hung open in his left hand, and with his right hand he hit her with something he'd taken out of the bag. He hit her heavily at the side of the head. She gave a sort of tired sigh and fell down.

I had started to get up myself, but Dr. Stokes shifted what he had hit her with. It was a short, black pistol and he'd held it by the barrel, so that the butt end had been like a pen of a hammer to smack home on her temple. Now he'd changed his grip to get it into firing position and was pointing it at me. It had two barrels, one above the other, and they were .01 caliber. I relaxed in my chair again.

"Yes, sit quietly, Yates," said Dr.

Stokes. "You know, you shouldn't have hit Mrs. Pettigrew as hard as that."

"I hit her?" I fairly gobbled at him.

"Yes. You hit her. After a while, when I have leisure to arrange it, you'll hit her again. Fracture her skull. She'll lie there a while, and die."

Chapter 30

I looked and looked at that gun he was pointing at me. It was deringer style, all right, a double-barreled all-steel job, black as a toy locomotive, the sort of gun that was being made up until recently.

"So it wasn't a two-gun man who shot Alchisez and Bensing, after all," I said. "You gave them a slug apiece out of that doublebarrel."

"They were rats and black-mailers," said Dr. Stokes, without any more hesitation or feeling than he'd shown in talking about the last days of Gwynne Ealing.

He paused, and smiled again.

"You're really a capable man, Yates. Everybody underestimated you. Even I did, until the last few minutes. It's a pity you're through here in Smith City."

"Through in Smith City?" I repeated.

"Yes, through in Smith City. The best you can hope for is my help in getting out of town by the next and fastest train, and staying out."

That sounded like a silly deal to me. In his place, I'd never have even suggested it. I kept us both talking.

"Your motive was the toughest to find," I said. "But I found it—Alchisez was studying up on Gwynne Ealing, and before you put the police off with a cute explanation, I'd already figured on it. Richard Ealing had left you his gun collection."

"Worth thousands of dollars," he said, and long overdue to me from Dick."

"But it wasn't all you killed him for. Not even that museum piece of Oliver Cromwell's, and the jeweled number from the Orient. I think you had another motive. You didn't want anybody else around who knew you'd murdered Gwynne Ealing, and who might tell his half of that deal."

"Now you don't sound so capable," he said. "Everybody knows that Gwynne Ealing's heart stopped on him."

"After it was starting to get well?" I said, glancing to where Mrs. Pettigrew lay so limp and quiet. "That didn't suit you, I went on. 'So you gave him medicine, something to work his heart over-time, so it would stop for lack of the blood it needed.'"

"You were talking about motives a moment ago," he said. "What motive would I have to kill Gwynne Ealing? He was rich, but his money went to Dick, not to me."

"Because you helped him die, part of that money was to come to you," I said. "And you got tired of waiting just as Dick had been tired of waiting for his uncle to die. You told him so, and he put a cap on it by reminding you that you couldn't afford to hurry him."

"It's really too bad you're going to fracture Mrs. Pettigrew's skull before you leave this room," he said. "Even now, with proper treatment, she might recover from her concussion and tell the world what she seems to have told you about eavesdropping on Dick and me. All right since she's going to be found dead here—half a dozen things, any one of them, would stop Gwynne Ealing's rickety heart. I played safe by dosing him with three different items. He took them like a lamb, sure he was going to feel better. Get up from behind that desk."

"I'm to die standing?"

"What else do you know or think you know? While you're talking, take a sheet of paper out of the drawer and feed it into the roller of that typewriter."

I pulled J. D.'s typewriter to me and put a sheet of white paper in. "I know about thumb forecups," I said. "They take bullets out of people, and sometimes they put bullets back in."

"As with Dick Ealing," he agreed, as slickly as an actor in a movie. A good movie. A good actor. Hollywood should have had him.

"You got him to fire the gun he held," I said, "and before he knew what you were doing. You shot him dead, probably with that heater you've got right now. Then you tweaked out your bullet, and slid in the one he'd fired to match his gun."

"I got it out of his box, of waste. It was a test bullet."

"To see if it was his wife who'd shot a slug into the jamb of the cellar door a month ago," I finished for him.

"Don't you think," and he sounded as if he hated to bring up the subject, "that we've chatted long enough?"

"Suppose I told you that I'd put most of this stuff in writing and given it to someone to hold in case I got murdered?"

"Have I said you'd be murdered?" It won't turn out like that if you do as I tell you. I'm offering you a chance to get away, at least to get a head start."

"One thing excites my idle curiosity," I was hoping I didn't show how desperately I played for time while I watched for a chance to hop in close and grab for that gun. "It was Diane's gun that Ealing fired. Did he switch the gun upstairs in her room, or did you?"

"Oh, Dick did. He was doing just what I told him. We'd patched up our little tiff about the money and I'd turned his attention to the question of his wife's possible enmity. I brought him proof—a snapshot of Diane and Jim Kuhl together. That took me a long time to get across to him, because up to then he wouldn't believe she had turned against him—not even when a derringer bullet narrowly missed him at his cellar door, one night when she was supposed to be away from home."

"He fired the test bullet, to compare with the one he'd dug out of the jamb. I shot him," and he twiddled his pistol in his gloved hand. "Then I switched bullets in the wound, went out and locked the door. I carried away the key, having set things up so I could come back, discover the body, and leave the key where I wanted it—inside."

To be continued.

BUS DRIVERS GO ON STRIKE TODAY

Harrisburg, July 17 (AP)—Day shift drivers for the Valley Transportation company struck today in support of a wage increase demand, cutting off service between Harrisburg and West Shore suburbs.

A company spokesman said shortly after 3:30 a. m. EST when drivers failed to report for the day shift: "We're not going to operate. It only causes trouble."

Spokesmen for the firm's 100 drivers, represented by the AFL-American association of Street, Electric Railways and Motor Coach Employees of America, were not available for comment.

The drivers sought an increase of 30 cents an hour, bringing the hourly wage rate to \$1.50.

John G. Snowden, Williamsport, principal owner of the bus line, offered only to extend the present contract for six months to test a fare increase recently granted by the Public Utility Commission.

Snowden said the company could not grant any wage boost at the present time.

The bus company provides service between Harrisburg and numerous suburbs on the West side of the Susquehanna river. One line goes to Duncannon.

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calls for replacing the car's front seat with a special seat that can be folded back to become a full length bed. This seat splits so that one person can sleep while the other drives.

Odd is the wheel-less trailer which hangs from the rear of the car. Weighing only 50 pounds it provides the extra space needed for using the luggage compartment as part of a double bed. There is a canvas canopy for weather protection.

Pausing That Saves

By all means switch off the engine when you find you are in a traffic jam and you will have to wait awhile. Idling will waste a lot of gas, give your passengers an unnecessary gasping and will heat the whole cooling system. I can hear you remind me of the time you switched off the engine and couldn't get it started again. But did you remember to press all the way down on the accelerator pedal SLOWLY before cranking? Or did you pump in the accelerator and give the engine a richer mixture when what it wanted was more air? Just hold the throttle wide open and crank. Don't choke. Don't pump on the pedal. The engine will go off like a charm.

It's odd, how often we all are inclined to overlook the value of second gear when testing the motor. In second you can approximate car speeds of sixty when just running 45. Second gear is useful in giving an engine the speed treatment, a process that would not be either safe or legal in high. This is particularly useful where an upgrade is available. Remember, however, that modern second is higher than the second of yesterday. It is just letting the engine loaf at a car speed of 25.

Too Fast For Brakes

While it is true that new cars should be driven faster because of the changes in engine design and construction it doesn't follow that this is a license to use the brakes more freely. It did not occur to one reader of this column that because he indulged in a higher break-in speed at the wrong places he was over-working the brakes—not until he warped a brake drum and had to have it trued up.

What's On Your Mind?

Q. Will the use of radiator stop-leak cause an engine to over-heat? I mean the solutions which carry reputable names; not some of the oatmeal concoctions motorists sometimes use. H. N. McB.

A. The reliable solutions will not cause overheating. Be sure you pour them into the cooling system when the latter is normally warmed, not when cold.

Q. There is a most peculiar drumming noise in the rear of my car. I can't find anything loose. Never heard anything quite like this in my many years experience as a motorist. J. F.

A. This sounds like loose baffle plates in the gas tank. Many experienced drivers never run across this one.

Q. I have been troubled lately with the engine, cranking very slowly. This can't be due to motor varnish on the pistons since I get the same results when the engine is cold or cool. The battery is fully charged. I've checked for poor connections, and a mechanic installed a new starter drive about a year ago. Can you help? W. M. B.

A. The first thing to check would be the starter-motor commutator which may be dirty. Also check the brush holder for stickage and the brush springs which may be weak.

Q. Is there any way to remedy a carburetor needle valve that has developed the habit of sticking? A new one was installed several months ago but is now acting same as the old one. This is a new one on me. The trouble has been traced to this particular part by three different mechanics so I know we are on the right track. G. L. Jr.

A. This is due to gums on the needle valve. If you ever had the gas tank repaired this could be due to gum produced by soldering flux. Use a quart of alcohol in the gas tank.

Mr. Russel will answer questions regarding the safe care and operation of your car. Just address him at 254 Fern Street, West Hartford, 7, Connecticut, and enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope for a personal reply. There is no charge.

Indians still supply their tribal larders by spearing and netting salmon at the Celilo Falls of the Columbia river.

York Springs

York Springs—The Wesleyan Service Guild of the local Methodist church conducted a wiener roast at the William Yost place Tuesday evening with members of the Guild's families as guests.

Carol Balsh, Irwin, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Balsh, near here, on a vacation.

Lester and Evelyn King Wirt, Harrisburg, have named their three-weeks-old daughter Phyllis Jean, according to the baby's maternal grandmother, Mrs. Estella King, near town.

A street carnival is being planned by the local Lions club for Friday and Saturday, August 20 and 21. A special meeting of the local fire company was conducted this week to further plans for their carnival to take place at the end of the month.

Summer vesper services opened Sunday at the local high school campus in charge of the youth of the Methodist and Lutheran congregations. The Rev. Ralph W. Meckley, Lutheran pastor, delivered the sermon, and special music was by Miss Miriam Byers, violinist.

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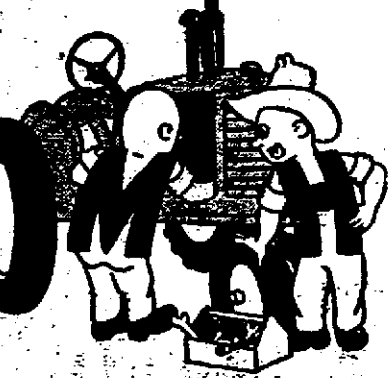
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